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THIRD DAY'S RACING

ATTENDANCE RAIN

> **AGAIN** COOS

Result of The Champions Race

WEATHER AFFECTS THE GOING

Too good to last was the verdict about the weather when the third day of the Hong Kong Jockey Club's annual race meeting opened at Happy Valley before a much reduced attendance.

The Champions, primarily, and the Ladies' Purse were the was proposed as Chairman by Mr. events of principal interest, the morning being occupied in discus- and was seconded by Lady Iveagh, sion as to the respective merits of Mrs. L. Dunbar's "old" pony, by the 700 delegates present.— Sitting Bull, winner of the Derby in 1928, and Mr. Ho Kom-tong's griffin, President Hall, winner of the Derby yesterday. Opinion was divided at first. The decision not to start Elliot Bay (another of the Dunbar "cracks") in the Champions was another fruitful topic of gossip among punters.

The Champions attracted a field of six and Sitting Bull defeated President Hall by four lengths.

RACING DETAILS

In the opening event, the Foochow Cup (two miles)—the longest race in the Jockey Club calendar -Mr. Dunbar scored another victory with Coos Bay, an odds on favourite, which finished ahead of Mr. Ho Kom-tong's Town Hall. Yesterday's opening event was won by Mr. Ho and thereby augured well for the Derby. Did the first race to-day presage the stable order in the Champions?

On the whole, backers had a better day yesterday than on Monday with ponies running more consistently and according to form, with fewer surprises.

Miss Jenn Mackie, the daughter of Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, the Clerk of the Course has been deputed to present the Ladies' Purse to the winning jockey in the third race. His Excellency the Governor, Sir

Cecil Clementi, arrived at 12.20, accompanied by Capt. Whyte, A.D.C., and was met by Mr. H. P. White. "Ladies' Day"

Prior to lunch the time-honoured ceremony of Ladies' Day was carried out in the grand stand.

H E. the Governor (Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G.) handed to Mr. L. Dunbar the Cup. presented for the sixth race on the first day and L. Dunbar's Frenchman's Bay. won by Elliot Day (which had won the same trophy in 1928). His Excellency said he had great pleasure in doing so, and was thanked by Mr. | Lau & Lee's Duke of Melrose 158 Dunbar.

Then Mr. C. G. S. Mackie, Clerk of | Ulster's Erin's Isle 158 lbs. the Course, introduced Mr. A. J. P. Heard to Miss Jean Mackie (Mr. K. H. Kay's Nero 142 lbs. Mackie's daughter), who was accompanied by Mrs. Mackie.

Miss Mackie handed Mr. Heard the purse of sovereigns, subscribed by the ladies of Hong Kong, and congratulated Mr. Heard on his victory on Christmas Chimes.

Mr. Heard replied suitably, presented Miss Mackie with a bouquet | \$8.80. in the Club's colours and called for cheers and "a tiger" for the ladies of the Colony and then escorted Miss Mackie to lunch.

An Objection Sustained An objection was lodged after the seventh race against The Jamaica, who was first past the post, for crossing in the straight. The objection was sustained and the place moneys go to the second, third, and fourth ponies, respectively, but there is no change in the disposition of Eve's New Year's Eve 155 lbs. the cash sweep and the pari-mutuel as per the local rules of racing.

The Champions A slight drizzle fell just before the weighing in for the Champions which attracted a field of six, which was in the nature of a surprise. Sitting Bull and President Hall shared favouritism. The other candidates were Young Pretender, who qualified on the first day; Boxing Eve, who returned the un-

official record time yesterday; Chesapeake Bay, who qualified yesterday; and Royal Flush, who qualified only this morning. The last-named four were regarded as outsiders. 1.-The Foochow Cup.-Winner \$600.

Second \$250. Third \$150. For China ponies. Weight for inches Dynasty's King's Falloch 165 as per scale. Ponies that have run at any previous Meeting in Hong Kong, Macao or China and have Chan Pik-chuen's The Sun 160 never won a race and Griffins of this Meeting allowed 5 lb. Sub- Lau & Lee's Duke of Milan 155 scription Griffins of this Meeting allowed 10 lb. (Jockey allowance.)

Allowances accumulative. Entrance

L. Dunbar's Coos Bay 158 lbs. . . (Mr. Hill) Ho Kom-tong's Town Hall 158 lbs. (Mr. Encarnacao) Lee Fu-wing's Little Thunder 153 lbs. (Mr. Harriman) C. M. Leitao's Monument 155 lbs.

\$10. Two Miles.

(Mr. Proulx) Hashim's Sunning 158 lbs. .. (Mr. Charles) Time: 4 min. 35.2/5 sec.

Five lengths; many lengths. Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$6.20.

Places: 1st \$5.10; 2nd \$5.10.

2.-The Grand Stand Stakes.-Winner N. Hashim's White Jade 155 lbs. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China ponies bona fide Griffins | Harry & Henry's Zenjebil 158 of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners of one Race 7 lb.; of two or more Races 10 lb. extra. Subscription Griffins of this Meeting-winners no penalty: nonwinners allowed 10 lb. (Jockey allowance.) Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. Six Furiones. John Peel's Royal Flush 155 lbs.

(Mr. Heard) 1 Ho Kom-tong's Majestic Hall 162 lbs. (Mr. Encarnacao) 2 Chan, M. & A. E. M. Rafeek's Triumphant Stag 158 lbs.

(Mr. Quincey) 158 lbs. (Mr. Hill) Yam Man's Blue Danube 155 lbs. (Mr. da Roza)

lbs. (Mr. Hu) (Mr. Charles)

(Mr. Backhouse) Stanton & Reidy's Target 158 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) Time: 1 min: 32.1/5 sec. Three lengths; three lengths. Pari-mutuel:—

Winner \$7.30. Places: 1st \$5.30; 2nd \$5.80; 3rd

Purse.—Presented. added for Winner. . Second Third \$150. For China ponies. Weight for inches as per Winners at this Meeting other than Subscription Griffins 5 lb. extrn. (Jockey allowance.) Entrance \$10. Once Round. (About 7

Furiones 55 Yards.) Fay & Seth's Christmas Chimes 158 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 1 \$6.40. Ho Kom-tong's King's Counsel 163 lbs. ... (Mr. Haimovitch)

(Mr. Pote-Hunt) 8 L. Dunbar's Bakers Bay 158 lbs. (Mr. Hill) 4 H. P. White's San Francisco 158

Ibs. (Mr. Charles) 0 Time: 1 min. 54.4/5 sec. A head; half a length. Pari-mutuel:-

Winner \$11.50. Places: 1st \$7.60; 2nd \$11.

4.-The Hong Kong Stakes.-Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Subscription Griffins of this lengths. Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winner of the Subscription Griffins' Challenge Cup 7 lb. extra. Winners of other Races 5 lb. extra. (Jockev allowance.) Entrance \$10. One Mile and a Half.

W. E. L. Shenton's The Pheasant 152 3bs. (Mr. Clark) 1 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 2 The (Mr. Hill)

WORKING MAN TORY LEADER

EX-MINER ROWLANDS SUCCEEDS COL. GRETTON

UNANIMOUS CHOICE

London, Yesterday. Mr. Gwilym Rowlands, a working man who spent many years in a coal mine in Wales, was to-day 166. elected Chairman of the Council of the National Union of Conservative Association, in succession to the millionaire Colonel Gretton.

Mr. Rowlands comes from Rhondda Valley, which is noted for its extreme Socialist elements. He M. P. He was elected unanimously British Wireless Service.

AFGHANISTAN

AMANULLAH ON THE WARPATH

Moscow, Yesterday. A message from Termez states that fighting has begun between Amanullah's troops and Habibullah's supporters near Maidan, 19 miles from Kabul.—Reuter.

Mrs. Dyer's Aberdeen 153 lbs. (Mr. Cave) 0 Eve's Birthday Eve 155 lbs. .. (Mr. Pote-Hunt) 0 W. T. Stanton's Chicot 158 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) Splits's Half Pint 155 lbs. ... (Mr. Quincey) Topside's Mountain Air 155 lbs. (Mr. Harriman) John Peel's Skinfaxi 155 lbs. . . (Mr. Heard) 0 A. H. White's Sopron 155 lbs. . . (Mr. da Roza) Mrs. W. T. Southorn's Touch Wood 155 lbs. .. (Mr. Reidy)

(Mr. Charles) lbs. (Mr. Newbiggin) Mac's Zephyr 155 lbs. (Mr. Encarnacao)

Time: 3 min. 25.3/5 sec. Six lengths; four lengths. Pari-mutuel:---Winner \$16.40.

Places: 1st \$6.20; 2nd \$7.80; 3rd

.-The American Cup .- Presented by American Citizens resident in Hong Kong, with \$500 added for Winner. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China ponies bona fide Griffins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners of one Race 5 lb., of two Races 7 lb., of three or more Races 10 lb. extra. Subscription Griffins of this Meeting allowed 10 lb. (Jocker allowance.) Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. Once Round. (About 7 Furlongs 55 Yards.

Dynasty's King Courier 158 lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) Lau & Lee's Duke of Chantilly 163 lbs. (Mr. Hu) Eve's Grand Tattoo Eve 158 lbs. (Mr. Pote-Hunt)

W. T. Stanton's Buster 158 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) John Peel's Huntington 155 lbs. (Mr. Heard)

Ho Kom-tong's Imperial Hall 158 lbs. ... (Mr. Encarnacao) Time: 1 min. 53.4/5 sec. Four lengths; two lengths and

Pari-mutuel:— Winner \$19.60. Places: 1st \$6.50; 2nd \$6.90; 3rd

One Mile and a Quarter. Mrs. Dunbar's Hiawatha 155

lbs. (Mr. Hill) 1 his son-in-law, Mr. E. Sadick. Hynes & Mackie's Pickle 149 lbs.(Mr. Clark) L. Dunbar's Delaware Bay 153 1bs. (Mr. da Roza) 8 Time: 2 min. 52.2/5 sec.

A length and a half; three Pari-mutuel:---Winner \$8.90. Places: 1st \$8.10.

7.—The Leighton Hill Stakes.—Winner For China ponies, Subscription improved but it is likely that he will Griffins of this Meeting. Weight have to remain in bed for at least races 7 lb. panalty, of three or more vice. (Continued on Page 7.)

HAVE YOU WON?

LUCKY NUMBERS IN CASH SWEEPS

TO-DAY'S DRAWINGS

The following are the winners of the cash sweeps at to-day's Races:—

Race 1. ¥\$7,251.60 No. 472 857.60 Unplaced \$50 each :- Nos.-380. Race 2. 🗼 \$1,830 No. 304

Unplaced \$50 each:-Nos. 501, 451, 97, 162, 72, 318. Race 3. \$1,744.40 No. 359

,, 291 249.20 Unplaced \$50 each:-Nos. 488,

Race 4. No. 580 324 Unplaced \$50 each; Nos. -572, 412, 358, 352, 600, 15, 255, 708, 388

184, 703, 284. Race 5. No. 423 949.20 474.60 Unplaced \$50 each:-Nos.-172,

665, 614. Race 6. **\$3,360** No. 711 Race 7. No. 843 ·· \$3,866.80

. ,, 1154 1,104.80 951 Unplaced \$50 each:-Nos. 549. 211, 870, 7, 454, 139, 753, 1256, 969,

220, 517, 489. Race 8. \$28,611.80 No. 1124 **8.174.80** ,, 6010 ,, 2117

Unplaced starters and ponies which qualified but did not run: \$216.20 each:-Nos. 2099, 4223, 0 808, 102, 7554, 3176, 5635, 3160, 2555, 6565, 2352, 6162, 2234,

OVERCAST — RAIN

The weather report issued by the Royal Observatory at 10.55 a.m. to-day stated:-

The anti-cyclone is central to the north of Tokyo and the depression is central to the north of Tourane.

Moderate monsoon may be expected along the S. E. coast of China and over the China

Forecast:-E. winds, moderate; overcast, rain.

SOME BIG PRIZES

TWO HONG "BOYS" GET FIRST IN THE DERBY

COMPRADORE'S WINDFALL

Two "boys" in the employment of Messrs. John D. Humphreys & Son. Alexandra-building, shared the ticket in the Hong Kong Jockey Club 0 (on the course) cash sweep on the Derby yesterday which drew President Hall and netted them \$7,2481 Mir. Leung Yan-po, compradore of Mesers, Gibb, Livingston & Co., is

the purchaser of ticket No. 11,562 in the \$3 sweep run by the Kowloon Confucian Society. This ticket drew President Hall and brought Mr. Leung the first prize

6.—The Phaethen Stakes.—"A" Class The first prize—two lakhs—in the Handicap. Winner \$600. Second South China Athletic Association's \$250. Third \$150. For China \$10 sweep on the Derby has gone to nonies that have run at any Extra about a dozen Chinese domestic ser-Meeting during 1928, and Griffins on date of entry. Non-starters at this vants, male and female, who are Meeting barred. Entrance \$100. employed at the Arbuthnot-road house of Mr. U. Rumjahn, the manager of the Jockey Club sweeps, and

> (Notes about other sweep prizes appear on page 9).

CHARLIE CHAPLIN CONDITION REPORTED TO HAVE IMPROVED

TO REMAIN IN BED

Hollywood, Yesterday. Charlie Chaplin's condition has

ptomsine poisoning.

CHARGES AGAINST GENERAL

REPORT SUBMITTED SETTLEMENT OF THE ISSUES

LU TI-PING APPEARS

EXPECTED

Shanghai, To-day. General Lu Ti-ping has arrived in agreement, which the Minister of Hanking, where he has reported on Foreign Affairs, M. Paul Hymans, mentary Party System in Germany the Hunan situation to the Central in replying to interpellations, de-It is persistently rumoured that it had been published by a Dutch a settlement will be effected shortly. newspaper which was noted for its

-Reuter. [A Nanking message last Satur- prompted by the wish to prevent the Government that rules Prussis. day stated: The Wu-Han branch of fresh negotiations between Belgium the Central Political Council has and the Netherlands. laid charges of appropriation of M. Hymans said that the 1920 had an entirely false idea of its

Government until he was ousted a at the defence of the country. few days ago by three other Generais operating with the alleged ap- Government would collaborate with without the consent of the governproval of the leaders at Wu-Han. the Belgian Government in estab- ment and the Reichsrat. These charges will be discussed here lishing the facts. at the next meeting of the Central Political Council. Meanwhile officialdom is reticent about the coup in and endoring its protest, only four

A Hankow cable of Sunday munist opposing it.—Reuter. stated: - The latest news from Changeha indicates that all is quiet. It is stated that Lu Ti-ping is at present lying low in north Hunan, and is expected later to go to Kiangsi to join up with General Chu

Pei-teh at Nanchang. Rumours are prevalent here to the effect that hostilities are expected very soon between Hunan and Kiangsi. However, this is denied by the local authorities.]

"ALL QUIET"

No Change Reported From Chefoo .

In spite of developments reported elsewhere in Shantung, an overnight 1690, 467, 3124, 838, 7532, 2472, Royal Naval wireless report states quiet."-Reuter.

An Investigation

Chefoo, To-day. The American warship with Admiral Blakely and the American Consul, Mr. Leroy Webber, left at daylight for Tengchowfu and Lungkow to investigate conditions.—Reu-

FIRST LEVEE

PRINCE OF WALES DEPUTISES FOR THE KING

NO PROCESSION

London, Yesterday. A fall of snow has disappointed Londoners, who were hoping to see the Prince, of Wales proceed in state from Buckingham Palace to St. James' Palace to deputise for the King in holding the first

Levee of the season. cellation of the state procession, and the Prince of Wales, instead of driving in the silver and gold ty's windows had to remain closed. State coach escorted by Life Guards, arranged to walk from

York House. ' Weather Forecast After a few days of comparative mildness, Arctic conditions have been renewed in Britain, and heavy snowfalls were general. The change is due, according to weather experts, to a persistent anticyclone over Scandinavia and Russia, and still colder weather is forecasted:—Reuter.

BRITISH NAVY **NEW SUBMARINES AND**

SLOOPS "ORPHEUS" LAUNCHED

London, Yesterday. The submarine "Orpheus" has been launched at Glasgow and the Admiralty has placed contracts for five new submarines and two sloops.

—Reuter.

LABOUR AND CAPITAL AGAIN

TO MEET

London, Yesterday. - Reuter. The General Council of the

FORGED DOCUMENT

STATEMENT BY BELGIAN MINISTER

A HOSTILE PAPER

Brussels, Yesterday. Strong indignation was expressed in the Chamber in regard to the alleged Franco-Belgian secret

nounced as a forgery. He said that hostility against Belgium and was

A resolution was carried, expressing confidence in the Government Flemish Frontists and one Com-

ON FIRST TEST

SEAGRAVE SOON TO MAKE OFFICIAL ATTEMPT

AT DAYTONA BEACH

London, Yesterday. Major Seagrave, the British speed motorist, who is about to make an attempt on the motor record, states that he has attained a speed of 180 miles an hour on his first test on

three quarter throttle. Weather permitting, he will make his official attempt on the record on March 6.—Reuter.

AN M.P. DIES

THIS MONTH

28 M.P.'S SINCE ELECTION

London, Yesterday. Parliament, Mr. A. E. Jacob, who that were always difficult and, resat for the East Toxteth Division of Liverpool, died to-day. He is the fifth member to die this month. All five were Conservatives. Since this Parliament was elected in 1924 there have now been 28 deaths.—British Wireless Service.

AT BOGNOR THE WEATHER STILL DULL

AND COLD

KING'S "GOOD DAY" London, Yesterday. It is officially stated at Bognor that the King passed a good day. Bad weather compelled the can- The weather remained dull and cold throughout the day although the King was able to sit up His Majes-

-British Wireless Service.

INDUSTRIES FAIR ATTENDANCE AT WHITE

56 COUNTRIES REPRESENTED

London, Yesterday. The first week's attendance at the London section of the British industries fair at the White City was 75.000, being an increase of 5,000 over, last year's record figure. There was an increase of buyers over last year. The total number of years. The sad occurrence took countries represented, so far, is 56. place at his residence, St. Joseph's -British Wireless Service.

1929'S GRIM WINTER BLIZZARDS, TORNADOES AND KEEN FROST

91 DEG. IN SWEDEN

London, Yesterday. tornadoes, in the United States jointly by him and Mr. S. A. Lopes. (which were responsible for 22 The funeral will pass the Monudeaths) and 91 degrees of frost in ment to-day at 4.80 p.m. Sweden are among the latest features of the grim winter of 1929.

cepted the invitation of the Minister, accompanied by M. N. E. Kong. races 10 lb. penalty. (Jockey al- Lit was yesterday reported that employers to attend a conference Koechlin, the Shanghal- Consul- The R.N. fleet & auxiliary

PARTY GERMANY'S SYSTEM

IMPORTANT MOVE

DR. STRESEMANN MAKES INTER-ESTING PROPOSAL

PARLIAMENTS "FALSE IDEA" Berlin. Yesterday. A grave indictment of the Parliawas made by Dr. Stresemann at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the German People's Party, convoked to discuss the possibility of forming a "big coalition" Government in the Reich independent of

Dr Stresemann said that Parliament had become a caricature and finances, neglect of suppression of agreement harmonised with the responsibilities towards the nation. Communists and bandits, and im- Locarno agreement and contained He declared that competition position of exorbitant taxes and gen- nothing contrary to the League pact. among parties for popularity by eral mismanagement of affairs The agreement was supplemented promising milliards for social seragainst General Lu Ti-ping, who was by understandings between the two vices must cease and the German chairman of the Hunan Provincial General Staffs, and was solely simed People's Party submitted a motion that no new expenditure shall be M. Hymans hoped that the Dutch sancioned in the Budget Estimates

> The "Steel Helmeta" The leaders of the Nationalist "Steel Helmet" organisation has submitted to President Hindenburg a statement of the policy and aims of the organisation which, they declare, is not opposed to the Republican Government but to the Parliamentary system which they

hope to reform by legal means.

Pres. Hindenburg accordingly has told the Cabinet that he does not see any reason why he should sever his connection with the "Stock Helmets."—Reuter.

AIR FORCE LAUDED

EVACUATION OF LEGATION IN KABUL

"HISTORIC ACHIEVEMENT" London, Yesterday. Replying to questions in the

House of Commons Earl Winterton, Under-Secretary of State for India, FIFTH CONSERVATIVE TO DIE said that the evacuation of the last member of the British Legation from Kabul had been effected yesterday. He read Sir Francis Humphreys's tribute to the "historic achievement" of the Air Force Another Conservative Member of since December 23 in conditions

|cently, almost insuperable on account of the heavy snowfall. Earl Winterton said that he was sure that the House of Commons would cordially endorse the tribute to the members of the Air Force. who had flown over the wild border country unarmed and were repeatedly under fire. In the early days of the operation one machine was shot down over Kabul. Its pilot was unhurt, and he had since ren-

dered Sir Francis Humphreys valuable assistance. Earl Winterton, describing the recent dangerous nature of the task owing to the weather, mentioned that one of the machines had been forced to land because its engine froze whilst in flight, its two occupants being in the hands of tribesmen for some days, but were suc-

26 YEARS IN BANK DEATH OF MR. ARTUR OSCAR

cessfully evacuated by air.—Reuter.

FUNERAL TO-DAY

BARRADAS

The Portuguese community and the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation have suffered a loss through the death yesterday evening of Mr. Artur Oscar Barradas, who had been in the service of the Bank for nearly 26

Mansions, following a short illness. Mr. Barradas, who was predeceased by both his parents, was 48 years of age and unmarried. He leaves a brother, Mr. Joseph Barradas, of the staff of the Union Insurance Company, Limited, and two sisters-Mrs. Remedios and Mrs. Ozorio. It may be recalled that Mr. Joseph Barradas won the Shanghai Champions cash sweep a Blizzards in Britain and Ireland, few years ago. with a ticket held

NAVAL MOVEMENTS

H.M.S. "Sereph," a destroyer, for inches as per scale. Winners a week. Reuter's American Ser. Trades Unions Countries by Martel, the French left Shanghai yesterday for Hong of one race 5 lb. penalty, of two

lowance.) Entrance \$10. One Mile Chaplin was suffering from probably within a week or two. General, last week paid a visit to Ruthenia is to leave Hong Kong to-morrow for Singapore.

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BEARER CHEQUES HO HONG BANK SUED IN SINGAPORE

ALLEGED NEGLIGENCE

of a cheque having been fraudulently rity to pay.

cheque were in darker ink than the would be done without question,

February 15 Mr. Page contended that Whether it was an order or bearer ember 24, \$18,900; December 5, \$9,128. if there had been negligence anywhere cheque would make no difference as At the Malacca branch they were in on the piece or parcel of ground then it was on the part of the plain- far as that time was concerned. tiff company. As far as he knew Mr. Knowles (cross examining): Do from the plaintiff company. there was no law, and it was not you ever ask for bearer cheques to practicable, for the bank to approach be endorsed?-We ask for endorse- at the Malacca branch, said he rememevery cheque with suspicion. As long ment of bearer cheques so that we bered it was a China-born Chinese or thereabouts. The "Annual as the signature was found to be can tell, if necessary, to whom the who presented the cheque. With him Crown rent payable on this procorrect, and there was nothing evertly money was paid, but we cannot insist was a clerk from E. A. Barbour, Ltd. wrong with the writing of the words on it. If a customer is willing it is Witness asked the man to endorse the then he submitted the cheque had endorsed; otherwise we cannot force cheque, and he did so. been treated with ordinary care. It endorsement. had been contended by the plaintiffs | Would you take any signature? - Times." that the insertion of the "one" in Yes. We presume, of course, that front of the figures was a matter the person who is signing is signing which should have aroused suspicion, his proper name. Whether the name He did not think so, because the on the back of the cheque is the name writing of the amount was so extra- of the drawer of the money does not ordinarily clear, and it was a com- interest us. Another point is that. mon banking principle that the one never knows how often a bearer amount in words governed the cheque has changed hands. figures.' He submitted there was nothing on the cheque to arouse sus-

Work of Fraudulent Clerk proceeded, that the cheque was ori- fact it is a bearer cheque. Current Accounts opened and Fixed ginally written by a fraudulent clerk and his Lordship would see in every Manager. case the amount in figures was written very close to the dollar sign. That, in his opinion, bore out his submission with regard to the deliber-

If that submission was right, it was not feasible that the clerk would use different ink in making the alteration. He contended that different ink was not used, but that the very slight differences in shade was due to one stroke being added after the other was dry. That happened almost everyday in almost every office. A Average amount Yen. 45,000,000 mnn was writing a cheque, he was

OTHERS:—Hong Kong, Singapore, opinion, a sufficient suspicious cause Soerabaya, Semarang, Batavia, in itself for stopping payment of a Bombay, Calcutta, London, New Cheque.

York, Dairen.

Darker Alterations Mr. Knowles: The letters are darkcertainly look darker to me.

His Lordship: But the person who altered it might have done so at home. If he did it in the office someone might have caught him in the Manager, middle of the operation. Mr. Page: Is it feasible, my Lord,

that they should stop these cheques because part of the writing is darker than the other? I think my telephone theory would be a perfectly

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AND FINANCE.

reasonable explanation of different They passed through his own hands, shades of writing. I suggest that on and those of four other clerks before the whole there is no evidence of they were finally paid. His special negligence on the part of the bank, duty was to examine cheques. He and that the ordinary care of the examined the cheque in question, and average man was exercised. It is thought it was in order. The cash not necessary, I submit, to exercise turn-over of the bank was \$150,000 expert care tainted always with sus- to \$160,000 a day. Only ten to twelve

In the Supreme Court, Singapore, Mr. Knowles said that in this case order cheques, the rest were bearer on February 15 the hearing was con-negligence on the part of the bank cheques. Out of 230 cheques from Peking, Shanghai, Tientsin, Hong tinued before the Chief Justice (Sir did not enter into the question at all. E. A. Harbour, Ltd., which he pro-William Murison) of the case in What he contended was that it was duced, 192 were bearer cheques. which E. A. Barbour, Ltd., are a question as to which of two inno-FRANCE:-Societe Generale, Banque suing the Ho Hong Bank, Ltd., for cent parties should suffer for a guilty ship to look through these cheques Nationale de Credit, Banque de \$10,000, money paid in consequence third. It was all a matter of author and see how very close the figures of

Mr. V. D. Knowles, who is appear- really is which of you was so negli- the cheques): Here is one cheque Irving Trust Co., Banca Commering with Mr. R. H. Finch (Malacca) gent as to enable the forger to alter which is suspicious. The ink is of Evidence for Defence

The first witness for the defence tion about that one, my Lord: a bank exercised reasonable precau- was Mr. D. K. Anderson, an assisttions in making out cheques that was ant in the Mercantile Bank.

all he need do. In the present case a matter of bankall he need do. In the present case a matter of banka bearer cheque was made out for ing practice in Singapore when would a bearer cheque was made out for ing practice in Singapore when would figures are very close, almost as on the North side of Mattress, Teak Wardrobe with the amount. In the others the wellington Street and is bounded on the North side of Mattress, Teak Wardrobe with on the East by Peel Street and on Chairs.

\$2,520, and was subsequently altered you turn back a cheque as stale? to \$12,520. Evidence was called to Witness: Any cheque dated more Witness, continuing, said in six the west by a private lane. show that the alteration made on the than six months previously. This months prior to May 12, 1928,

is quite common to get cheques dat- cheques were on November 19, house with iron balconies in front Opening the case for the defence on ed a month orrsix weeks previously. \$13,232; November 23, \$24,578; Nov-

· A Useless Practice

It is a rather useless practice to nicion when it was treated with or- get someone to write a name on the back of a cheque and you don't know who it is.—It is useless but we have It was obvious to him, Mr. Page no option. We are covered by the Suppose the cheque was made pay-

Deposits received for 1 year or short- with the deliberate intention of alter- able to Ban Tong or bearer as in er periods at rates which will be quot- ing it after it had been signed. He this case, and you had an endorsehad 230 of Barbour, Ltd.'s cheques ment Ban Sheong. Would you not

query it?-The endorsement on the back is negligible as far as a bearer cheque is concerned. We have to take what we can get. A slight difference would possibly be only a matter of dialect. There are many instances of slight differences in Chinese names in different dialects. Tan Kim-wee, chief cashier of the Ho Hong Bank, Malacca, spoke of the manner in which cheques were dealt with when handed in at the counter. per cent. of cheques received were

Mr. Page: I would like your Lordthe amount are to the dollar-sign. His Lordship: I think the question | His Lordship (on looking through two very different shades.

an extra figure has been inserted into is situate on the North side of \$9,771,512 had passed through the Would you not cause a cheque to account of Messrs. Barbour, Ltd. On as No. 180 WELLINGTON STREET Mr. R. Page is appearing for the be "referred to drawer" dated one November 17, 1927, a cheque for is an excellent class three storey-Bank, assisted by Mr. W. Munro (of month previously?-Certainly not. It \$12,600 was paid. Other large ed Chinese shop and dwelling

> the habit of handling large cheques registered in the Land Office as Tan Soo-boon, paying out cashier

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GARAGE.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

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L'AMMERT BROS.. Auctioneers.

Mr. Page: There has been no ques-His Lordship: It looks as though feet or thereabouts. The property etc.

Judgment was reserved .- "Straits

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COMMERCE



on behalf of the plaintiffs, closed his this cheque. case on February 14, when he submitted that as long as the customer to

ate intention of the fraudulent clerk.

rang. He answered the phone. and JAPAN:-Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe, meanwhile the ink got dry. When he resumed his cheque-writing it was FORMOSA:-Giran, Kagi, Karenko, almost inevitable that the writing Keelung, Makong, Nanto, Shin-chiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takao, Tamsui, Toen, Heito, Taito. INA:-Shanghai, Hankow, Amoy, figure was of a different shade to the other, it could not be held, in his

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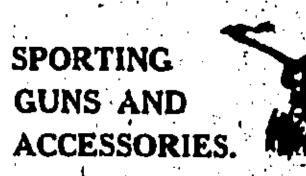
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25th, 26th, 27th February & 2nd March, 1929.

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> By Order, C. B. BROWN,

Secretary. Hong Kong, 14th Feb., 1929.

FIRST EXTRA RACE MEET- AT NOON, for the purpose of Course, Hong Kong Club, and December, 1928. Causeway Bay Stables.

noon on MONDAY, 4th March, MONDAY, the 25th February, 1929

Hong Kong, 22nd Feb., 1929.

HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

THE FINAL DIVIDEND declared for the Year ending 81st December, 1928, at the rate of Three Pounds Sterling together TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN with a Bonus of Two Pounds Sterl- That the 40TH ORDINARY ing, is payable on and after 25th ANNUAL MEETING of Sharehold-February, 1929, at the Offices of ers in the above Company will be the Corporation, where sharehold- held at the Offices of the Company, ers are requested to apply for St. George's Building, Chater Road, Warrants.

By Order of the Court of Directors. A. C. HYNES, Chief Manager Hong Kong, 23rd Feb., 1929.



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HE INSTITUTE WILL RE-OPEN |8 on FRIDAY, March 1. cation Department only; those Hong Kong, for a term joining Classes held at the Cen- 75 years, with the option tral British School, Kowloon, will renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed be enrolled at that School.

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REMINDER. HONG KONG LAWN TENNIS

ASSOCIATION CLUBS interested in Lawn Tennis are reminded of the An-Members are reminded that nual Meeting which takes place on these Badges will also admit them FRIDAY, 1st March, 1929, at 6 Club Pavilion.

D. S. GREEN, Hon. Secretary. Hong Kong, 26th Feb., 1929.

THE DAIRY FARM ICE & COLD STORAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING 8 p.m., at the Unices of the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING Public Works Department, by of the SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, on THURSDAY, 28th the purpose of receiving the Report 75 years, commencing from 1st July of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts, declaring a

and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from By Order of the Board of

Directors, M. MANUK, Secretary. Hong Kong, 13th Feb., 1929.

NOTICE.

■ ERAL MEETING of the KOW-LOON RESIDENTS' ASSOCIA-TION will be held in the St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, on THURSDAY, the 28th February,

BUSINESS: Adoption of Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1928. Election of Officers and Com-

Any other business. It is earnestly requested that members and all others interested

the welfare of Kowloon will make an endeavour to be present C. M. MANNERS,

Hon, Secretary. Hong Kong, 20th Feb., 1929.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE FORTY-SECOND ORDIN-

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> THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Entries will CLOSE at 12 o'clock Company will be CLOSED from to THURSDAY, the 7th March, 1929, BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE. By Order of the Board of

Directors. F. H. CRAPNELL, Hong Kong, 18th February, 1929.

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Victoria, Hong Kong, on WED-NESDAY, the 18th day of March, 1929, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and a Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December,

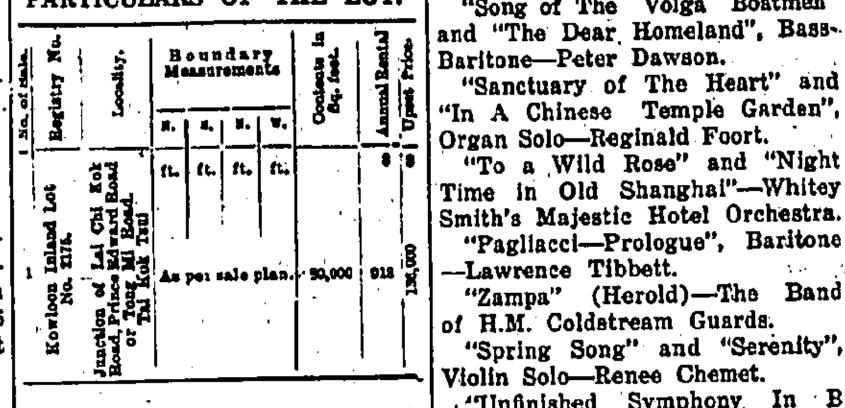
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By Order of the Board of Directors, SHEWAN TOMES & CO. General Managers. Hong Kong, 21st Feb., 1929.



TARTICULARS & CONDITIONS I of the Sale by Public Auction be held on MONDAY, the day of March, 1929,- at p.m., at the Offices of

Public Works Department, by dents' joining Classes held at Order of His Excellency the Gov-Queen's College and King's Col- ernor, of one Lot of Crown Land lege will be enrolled at the Edu- at Tai Kok Tsui, in the Colony of by the Surveyor of His Majesty the Entry Forms and copies of Pros- King, for one further term of 75





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Baritone-Peter Dawson. "Sanctuary of The Heart" and "In A Chinese Temple Garden", Organ Solo—Reginald Foort.

"To a Wild Rose" and "Night Time in Old Shanghai"---Whitey Smith's Majestic Hotel Orchestra. "Pagliacci-Prologue", Baritone -Lawrence Tibbett.

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Minor" (Schubert)-The Royal Opera Orch., Covent Garden. "Love, Could I Only Tell Thee" and "So We'll Go No More A-Roving", Tenor-Derek Oldham. "She Wonders Why" and "Chin-

ese Wedding" - Whitey Smith's Majestic Hotel Orchestra. "Tosca" — Potpourri" — Marek Weber And His Orchestra. "Songs My Mother Taught Me" and "Since First I Met Thee",

Soprano-Rosa Ponselle. "The Swan" and "Moment Musi-Violoncello Solo-Pablo Casals.

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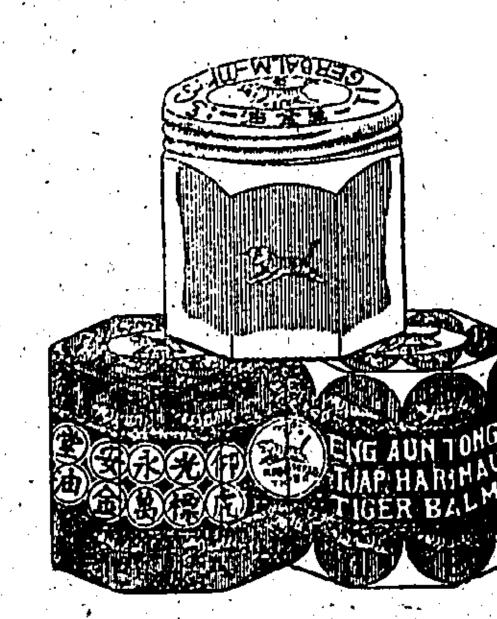
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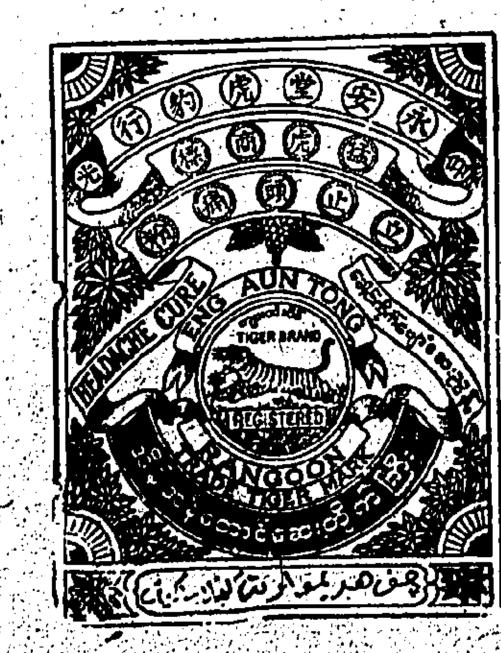
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SECTION.

NAVY ON SHOW.

"OWNER'S RIGHTS" TO VIEW

The Admiralty announce that "Navy Weeks" at Portsmouth, Devenport, and Chatham are to be held annually in and last year they were extended to all three of the home ports.

The implication this decision records

has a right to inspect his property. In the past "the owners," as Jack calls the taxpayers, have not been regarded the taxpayers, have not been regarded as possessing this right. They were not mainted to warships as "visitors" admitted to warships as "visitors" and in ordinary circumstances of the seafgeing powers of the world must continue to be so admitted, owing must continue to be so admitted, owing one house-flag in one year would be a standard of fuel consumption. to the exigencies of the service. But the amusing incident which led to taxpayers being dubbed "the owner" in naval parlance shows that they were not always content to go aboard warships on the permissive footing of "visitors." Here is the story, and it is a true one: Some years ago a pattice point. It is certainly true that they sident of the Canadian Pacific, when party of local people who wished to purty or rocar people who wished to will be called upon to carry for a long speaking at a meeting of the sharegangway and asked for the captain. time. In line with the C.P.R. policy holders of the company, said with re-"Who shall I say wants him?" asked since Confederation they are built gard to shipping that it was essential the officer of the watch. "Oh," replied shead of and for the purpose of foster- that in the shipping branch of the one of the party, "just tell him that a successful trade development. Canada company's service, as in its other actisome of the owners want to look over never quite caught up with the Cana- vities, the Company should keep pace their ship." The "owners" were invited aboard, and ever since that time taxpayers have been "the owners" to gramme is any criterion there is little

the Navy. The order which makes Navy Weeks a permanent institution means that somewhere in July or August of every year warships of all classes will Pacific into every large port in the nations of the world, but that he is be assembled at the three principal world and to a great many of the small- in many respects leading the way for naval ports and thrown open to public er ones. Throughout the seven seas other nations whose maritime dates

target ship, the Navy has no secret "Beaver" class, fast cargo ships that feet wide, will have 3 funnels and a vessels now. When the aircraft car- are giving a new regular weekly ser- speed of 24 sea knots. Her deck will rier "Argus" was opened to the public vice between Montreal and European have a full sized tennis court, there at Portsmouth last year the veil was lifted from the last of the mystery

TWO GIANTS

TRANS-ATLANTIC LINER RIVALRY

pected that the various companies and a construction programme may be on the daylight service. They will be countries concerned would be content to gained by a comparison of ship with propelled by four cylinder quarest on their ears for awhile. But town-building. Of the eleven ships druple expansion engines, of the there is no such thing possible where brought to the launching stage during Yarrow-Schlick-Tweddie system, and international commercial rivalry is the year, four were of the "Duchess" the vessels are to be delivered in 1930. concerned, and a new era in trans- class, vessels 600 feet long, 75 feet Atlantic travel will soon be opened. wide, and 63 feet deep from keel to Five different countries are busy with bridge-deck; five were "Beavers," the plans and schemes, and there is al- new fast freight ships capable of deready considerable building activity. veloping a speed of over 14 knots, Competition in the fast ocean passen- thereby challenging the ancient theory ger trade has again become intensive that freight ships built for a speed and wide-spread, and never before have in excess of 8 knots were economic,

driven, so it is said, by high-pressure be a notable landmark even against the powerful plant ever installed in a mer- the birthplace and greatest nesting chant vessel. The five day passage place of the skyscraper, could dupliacross the Atlantic is now assured, but cate to-day a group of four buildings if, as there is reason to believe, the 600 by 63 by 75 feet, five of a height roposed new Cunarder will attain a of 512 feet. The heights of the two sea speed of twenty-eight knots, she others of course are frequently dupliwill be able to steam from Cherbourg cated, but nowhere has there been such to New York, a distance of 8,200 miles, building all under the auspices of one in four days, eighteen hours, or about construction company, six hours under that of the fastest passage yet made, that of the "Maure-

Not only has this enormous building

important advance in marine designing, propulsive mechanics and engine-room It is of paramount importance that between Quebec and Montreal, the an exporting nation should have its world's greatest inland port. The re-

By implication, this decision recognises officially for the first time, so far as the Navy is concerned, the well-known principle of law that the owner has a right to inspect his property. In his addition, the first time, so far an indicate which has a right to inspect his property. In his addition, the first time of the vance of requirements. With these with these water has probably not been as the latter of the vance of requirements. With these with these water has probably not been as the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the property and one that will be find that the owner has a right to inspect his property. In the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements. With these water in the latter of the vance of requirements water in the latter of the van

record, and in the present case where What this development of the high

can move at a time is an interesting liners. and if this new shipbuilding pro-

fear of her doing so in the immediate of one year's activities shows, quickly followed the enunciation of this policy, and once again it has been demonstrated that Canada as a nation is not only These new ships will carry Canadian taking her place as one of the maritime inspection, guides being provided to ex- the six alternate red and white squares back further than Canada's history plain the various features of the talk Canada and the Canadian even as a part of the British Empire. vessels. A small charge for admission Pacific to every eye that sees them, and In addition to the eleven ships menwill be made, and the amount thus the imposing looking ships at whose tioned in this article, the Canadian raised will go to naval charities. These | mastheads they fly broadcast the pro- Pacific has placed an order with Messrs. henefited to the extent of nearly gress and prosperity of this Dominion. John Brown and Co., at Clydebank for £11,000 by the Navy Weeks held last The cleven ships include four the new "Empress of Britain" for the "Duchesses," 20,000 ton passenger trans-Atlantic service. This ship will Except for the wirelessly-controlled liners for the Atlantic trade, five be 40,000 tons, 730 ft. long, 97 feet ports, and two smaller passenger will be squash racquet courts below steamers for the Pacific Coast Service. and a large oval ballroom will be one Note included in the eleven is a 25,000 of the features of her public spaces. ton liner now under construction, It is expected she will be ready for which, running out of Vancouver, will service by the spring of 1930.

the China Seas. Two other fine pas- states that Canadian Pacific has placed senger steamers preceded these an order with the Fairfield Shipbuild- to eleven by only a few months ing and Engineering Co. Govan for two and have set a new stan- ships for the Companys' night service dard of service in the Pacific coastal between Vancouver and Victoria, of passenger trade. A third recently add- the following dimensions: Length 365 ed was an automobile ferry now plying feet, beam 52 feet, depth 19 feet, ships Trans-Atlantic travel has already between Vancouver Island and the to be designed to afford sleeping ac-

SIGHTS FROM LONDON BRIDGE

turbines, and in output of horse-power its machinery will far exceed the most doubtful if even that city renowned as ships. To those who have seen no The same applies to the large ships "Christian Science Monitor."

painted, blue-banded hull, will look, for all her 25,000 tons, more like a yacht than a liner. Marine Designing

programme of the Canadian Pacific been a means of enrichment for British shipping, it has also contributed an practice. The four "Duchesses," of which two have been in service between Montreal and Liverpool for most of the summer sesson, mark an important advance in ship design. Their hulls have been so constructed as to permit them, despite their gross register of 20,000 tons, to navigate the shallow channels own ships in which to transport cargoes sult so far has been that the Port of to the ports of the world, and, in the Montreal has increased her reputation future. They were first begun tenta- case of a country that must augment as the mecca of thousands of American tively two years ago at Portsmouth, its natural increase of population by tourists, who, but for the addition to

one house-flag in one year would be a standard of fuel consumption.

the country concerned is a Dominion of pressure water tube boilers means to about 10,000,000 people it is a feat that shipping is best shown by the stateis little short of marvellous. These ments which appeared in British marine cleven new ships form a fleet larger papers, to the effect that orders for than those of most shipping companies. motor-ships have been delayed pend-How many tons of freight they can tained from the new Canadian Pacific carry or how many passengers they

dian Pacific facilities on land or sea, with the requirements of the trade." Action, as the foregoing description

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and comfort that one might have exSome idea of the magnitude of such the night service and 1,500 passengers during the interest and large which never see the bridges, but are dred tons of mixed cargo has for our. don's docks. Our audience would have the bridge audience. The ship next to us is unloading discharge the following goods, which,

and then from the hold comes what ap- brought by a ship in which the writer pear to be very long bird cages, made sailed several times: 12,000 barrels of of cane, also rush mats. These have apples, 86 tons of soap, 400 cheeses, 46 been among the onions as a means of motor cars, 8,200 tons of grain, 500 ventilation. A bit farther out in the logs of lumber, a quantity of loose river another ship is discharging a timber, 50 barrels of extract, 10,000 number of small motorcars. These go bags of flour, 11 crates of shoes and up stream by barge.

many, France, Italy, and America have their plans for giant liners, and next feet in depth. The other two, the "Princess Elaine" and "Princess Elaine" and "Princess Elaine" and "Princess Elaine" and "Princess of us who come to the bridges get paid who come to the bridges get paid the CP.R., measured 290 feet long, seven knots.

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tish ports while others make a trip to
the Continent. A few are monthly next day's breakfast. While these varito the continent of the wonders to be seen by our auditerms of structural steel built perpenis about to place a contract for a vessel terms of structural steel built perpen-which will be the finest and speediest dicularly these ships would provide a wherever we sail, our arrival at either ed by the rattle of steam winches and not yet watched the busy scene, I will which will be the linest and specifical dicularly these ships would provide a one on the Atlantic route. It will be downtown business section that would driven, so it is said, by high-pressure he a notable landmark even against the of the bridges means a free and doubt-shouts of "Up, Tom," "Lower, Jim," the say, "Come and be entertained free!" less an instructive entertainment to stevedores to the crane drivers; other We are always pleased to see your

plenty to watch if they saw a big ship onions in sacks (from Spain). Now by the way, is an average cargo several, lawn mowers.

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In addition to the eleven ships already launched there is yet another liner to sail under the red and white house flag in the Canadian Pacific, the 25,000 ton "Empress of Japan," not yet under construction but shortly to be commenced, the contract for which, it

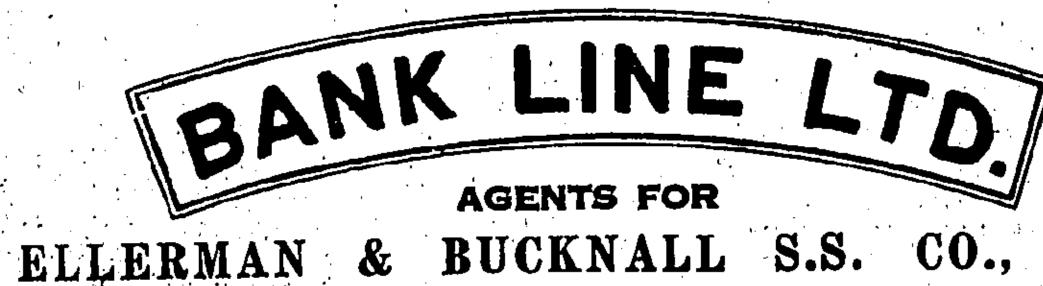
Immense Bulk

Even in seaports where the eye is

accustomed to seeing large liners it is hard to visualise the immense bulk of

an ocean, liner, so, despite the banality of such a comparison, let us compare the four "Duchesses" with four

commenced, the contract for which it was announced was signed by Mr. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific, during his visit to the old country last summer. According to recent Press despatches this new "Empress," named after an earlier vessel in the Pacific service, will sail on the Japan and China routes to Canada. It is stated that she will be of graceful lines, will be schooler-rigged with howe raking slightly forward, reminiscent of the old clipper ships with which the North American continent first entered the shipping trade. She will have three funnels, and, with her white



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Another Chinese gunboat, built by the Kwong Fat shipbuilders in Hunghom for the Canton Government in connection with the anti-piracy schemes, will be launched this evening in the Kwong Fat dock. A number of Canton Government officials arrived here last night from Canton to take part in the ceremony.

The gunboat is named after the late Kuomintang leader, Mr. Chu Chap-shun.

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subject to rent. All claims against the steamer sister, Miss Chan Ah Fung. must be presented to the Under- Messrs. S. K. Chow and C. W. signed on or before the 14th Chu, commissioners of the cognised.

All broken, chafed and damaged vation. Goods are to be left in the Godowns. where they will be examined on the 27th inst. at 10 a.m. by No Fire insurance has been

Bills of Lading will be counter-

signed by. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD., Agents. Hong Kong, 21st Feb., 1929.

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and all Goods remaining undeliver- delivery of their goods which will ed after the 28th inst. will be sub- be subject to rent after Feb. 28. ject to rent. All claims against the vessel

must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 9th prox. or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged a heart attack in London on Jan-

Goods are to be left in the Godowns. where they will be examined on the 28th inst. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

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The P. & O. s.s. "Malwa" left

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The E. & A. s.s. "Tanda" left

Moji for this port on Sunday after-

noon, and is due here on Friday

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Taft" sailed from Seattle on

February 9 and is due to arrive

The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of.

France" from Hong Kong on Feb.

13, left Yokohama on Thursday, and

is due at Vancouver on Saturday.

The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of

24 at 8 a.m., leaves Manila on

The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of

Asia" left Vancouver for Hong

Projected arrivals at and depar-

tures from Hong Kong of steam-

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Arrivals at Hong Kong

New York via Suez, March 2.

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S.S. "City of Guildford" from

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S.S. "Roseric," for Shanghai and

S.S. "City of Delhi," for Shang-

S.S. "City of Guildford," for New

about March 25.

Panama, March 2.

Japan, March 8.

March 17.

Singapore for this port on Sunday

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day, at noon.

at about daylight.

at this port on Friday.

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The s.s. "President. Jackson" brought the following passengers

Mr. V. E. Bramming, mining engineer for the Yukon Gold Co., No claims will be admitted after en route to Kuala Lumpur, where he will be stationed.

Mr. Chan Pak, president of the his home accompanied by his

March or they will not be re- Bureau of Economics, returning from an extensive tour of obser-Messrs. George Wong, Woo

Yew-ho and Woo Doon and Mrs. Woo Doon, connected with the Russia, Capt. A. J. Hosken, R.N.R., Richfield Oil Co. of California, rearrived at Manila on Feb. turning to their homes in China on a combined business and plea-Friday at 4 p.m., and is due at sure trip.

Dr. Alonzo J. Fisher, executive Hong Kong on March 3 at B a.m. Dr. Alonzo J. Fisher, executive She will leave here for Victoria and secretary of the Kwangtung Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Synod of the Presbyterian Board Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama at of Foreign Missions, returning to his position in Canton, accompanied by his son, Mr. Philip A.

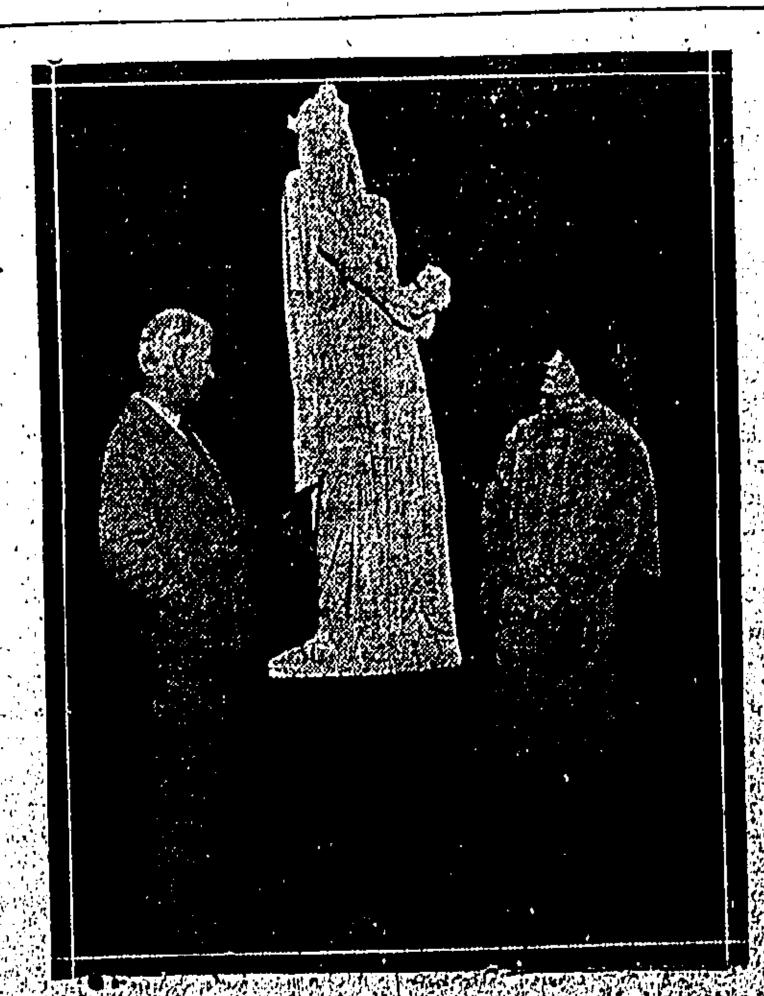
Mr. Frank Jefferson, of Hono- Kong, via Japan ports and Shanglulu, retired business man, mak- hai, on February 16, and is due here on March 7. She will sail ing a tour.

Miss Fannie Northcott, of the for Manila at 5 p.m. on March 8. American Baptist Foreign Mis- The M.V. "Formosa" (Swedish sionary Society Medical Depart- East Asiatic Co., Ltd.), left Anwerp ment, en route to her post at on Feb. 5, and is due here on or

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> Word has been received that Mr. B. M. Woodhouse succumbed to hai and Japan, March 18. uary 19. As one time chairman of the Thatched House Club, and al- 20. ways a much liked member, the news of this sad occurrence will be and Iloilo, March 26. received with much real grief by when visiting the Home country burg on Feb. 2, and is due here on that the introduction of these boxes and the Club can testify to his kind- or about Mar. 14. ness and hospitality. Mr. "Bunny" DODWELL & CO., LTD., Woodhouse always made a point of being associated with China members on behalf of the Club.



At right, Ethel Barrymore, the famous actress, looking at a plaster cast of the marble statue carved in her honour by the noted sculptor, A. Stirling Calden The cast is of Miss Barrymore as "Ophelis," and is on view in the new Ethel, Barrymore Theatre, in

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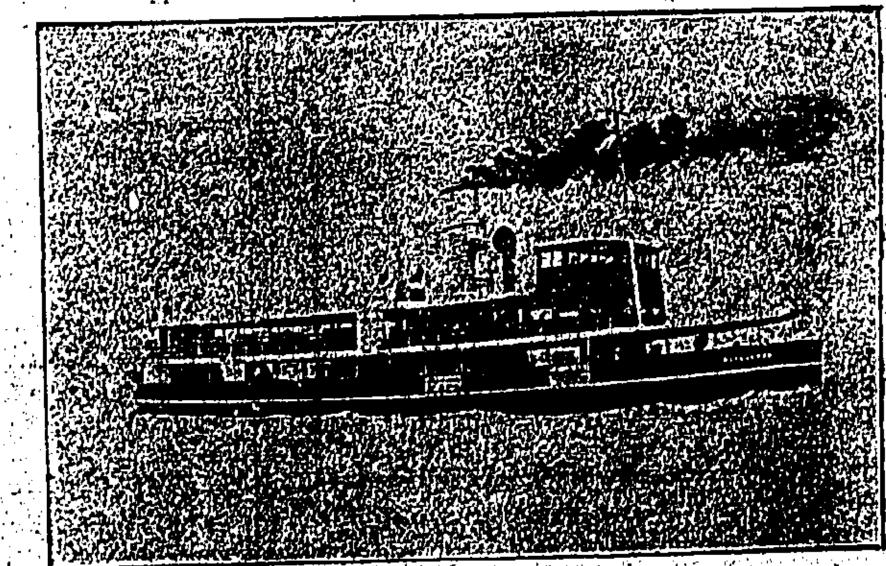
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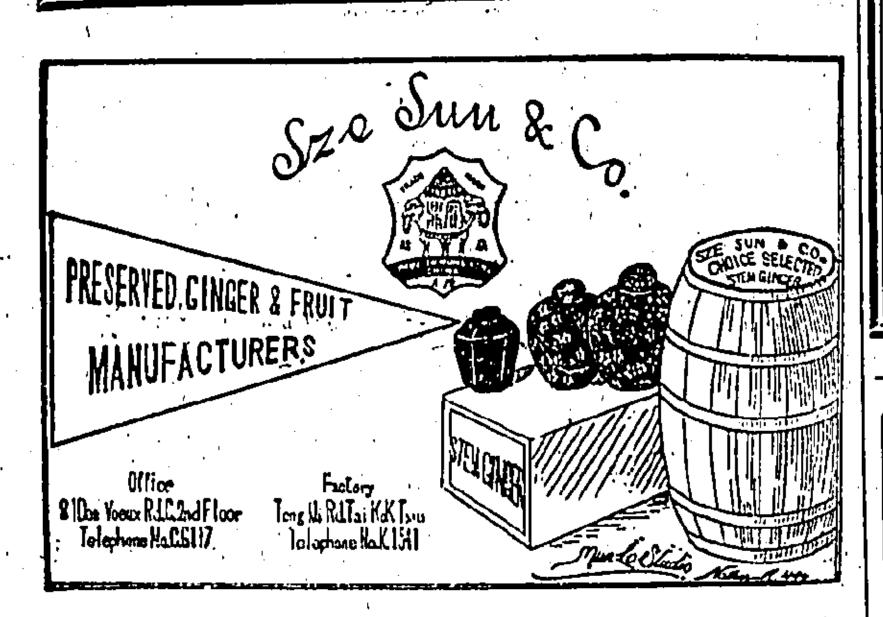
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A QUESTION FOR COUNCIL

ing a certain amount of celerity postponement of Government's It is understood that there will claims aggregating £9,000 would with this query, as only a fort- something else happens to recall to-morrow afternoon to discuss motion of the Tidal Power Syndi- pectantly. The first courses were night has elapsed since the Coroner's jury made the recommendations referred to in his query. A moment's reflection should suffice, however, to demonstrate that Government action in the matter will not—and should not be permitted tobrook any undue delay. The only point on which there may be any doubt is whether or not there has been reasonable time in the interval for the authorities to departmental consultations, and to arrive at a practicable decision.

The jury, in their recommendations, condemned the futility; of the present system of broadcastsoon as possible with a view to ates for 1920 total \$40.545,000 the Hawaiian Islands.

rectifying existing conditions; showing a reduction of a little that the Harbour Master or some more than half a million starling.

other officer should be authorised by the Govern which in itself in the Darky's hour is just be I am getting too old [] he is 44 After a pause, a little girl's and instructed by the Govern when the spot."

thing to eat.

"If I succeed." Capt Campbell "Come now," said the teacher," said. It shall not try again. If I surely someone can tell me what fail it will be different. I feel that raiment to put on means?"

The Darky's hour is just be I am getting too old [] he is 44 After a pause, a little girl's what the said of the sai and instructed by the Govern-

of a type sufficiently seaworthy to "Hermes." undertake hazardous rescue work and the men in charge of them should be sufficiently qualified to studying social and financial conhandle them in rough seas. No- ditions in the Far East, has been body desires to hear of another here for the last four days, staydisaster close to our harbour similar to that of the "Hsinwah," irrespective of any question as to hai) and Ballantyne (Hong which it was produced, the playthe liability and responsibility Kong), American bankers, have ers and their excellent performof anybody on board therefor. been visiting Tientsin with a view ances have given great satisfac-What most concerns the Colony is the provision of the best and tion. most equipped rescue craft and further provision of an absolutely fool-proof system of broadcasting away to Hong Kong from Shangdistress signals. The good name R.M.S. "Empress of Russia," of the Colony demands nothing was sent back to the Northern less than that. It is idle at this Settlement yesterday. She sailed date to speculate on the number on the M.M. s.s. "Andre Lebon." of lives on the "Hsinwah" that might have been saved under Smith committed for trial at the offices, Carey-street, W.C. different conditions as regards next Criminal Sessions, two Chin- The Official Receiver said that children will be naughty, too?" Hong Kong, Wednesday, Feb. 27, 1929. tems here. What does mattercaught napping in the event of counterfeit coins. At to-morrow's meeting of the any future maritime disaster. And Legislative Council the Hon. Sir that, again, implies that no time Point attempted to commit last October (his body was re-Henry Pollock will ask what should be occupied unreasonably suicide yesterday by jumping covered in the Thames) and to the action the Government intends to in improving on existing systems into the harbour at Belchers Bay, fact that no books of account action the Government intends to in improving on existing systems Kennedy Town. A Chinese man had been written up since Decem- said proudly. "I was at the take as the result of the recom- that have been tested and failed named Lam Kan saw the woman ber, 1926, he was unable to give front——" mendations made by the Coroner's in a past emergency. The mere enter the water, and with com- the usual statement of liabilities jury in the inquest on the body speculation that such a disaster mendable pluck, immediately and assets. jury in the inquest on the body as that of the "Hsinwah" is never of one of the victims of the "Hsinwah" disaster. It may at likely to occur again—at any rate "Hsinwah" disaster. It may at likely to occur again—at any rate was afterwars handed over to the tax, no proofs of debt of any "but I couldn't make any one first glance be considered by some so close to our own harbour—is Police. that Sir Henry is at least observ- far from sufficient to justify a "troubling" the Government consideration and decision until be a meeting in the Chinese be made in respect of moneys adthe tragic happenings of the past preparations to give a reception or cate.

> action as soon as possible. the official reply to Sir Henry community will be present at the public, who had subscribed for no wifie, beaming. Pollock's query at the meeting of the Legislative Council meeting members on other topics in the the ricsha.

and to remind the authorities dinner party to welcome the Duke | So far as had yet been ascer- came the pudding!

to-morrow, further comment accident occurred this morning at Butler or Brown, in carrying out strength, for it burned his mouth, would be superflous. But there is the junction of Queen's-road Cena hope that the Government will between the City Hall and the The meeting left the liquidation this instance treat the transfer of the city Hall and the cit in this instance treat the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank. Receiver. question with the gravity that it In turning into Wardley-street, a ponder over these recommendations, after, presumably, interdepartmental consultations, and so many questions from Unofficial just in time to avoid crashing into and sportsmen, will travel with During the scripture lesson

to-morrow by the s.s. "President ous of all motoring adventures cher came in her valiant struggle.

number refers partly to the reduction: of troops employed in China, which, as is well known, is WANDERING SCHOLARS A. BAD, LOT now much less than it was a year ago and will be, we hope, even less by this time next year. A supplementary estimate re-

quires £115,000 excess cost "arising from the employment additional troops in China, which brings the total £4.115.000 — a substantial sum but one which, considering what their friends. has been done, has been well worth spending.

If a man is to be coerced into temperance he may be enslaved spiritually and morally in a thousand other ways, against his con-science and his inclinations. The science and his inclinations. The speaking of the scholars of the state of things in "dry" America tenth century, Miss Watts said is a tragic warning to prohibition- that this period had a bad name ists in Great Britain. Its grotes- and was referred to as the depth que result has been to destroy educated classes of society and to make secret drinking the most favoured form of entertainment as a protest on behalf of liberty. tioned various incidents of the in- "didn't your conscience tell you -Sir Philip Gibbs.

yesterday reported stolen from about the year 1215 that Latin the room of Mr. A. A. W. Salter, became disused in England, said at No. 26, Ashley-road, Kowloon. the lecturer.

Mr. E. Murphy, living at the Kowloon Y.M.C.A., reported yesterday that two \$100 notes were stolen from the pocket of a pair

A special Lent service will be held in St. John's Cathedral every of Lonsdale's very modern play, Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. A spe- "On Approval," was-last night cial address will be given by the in the Theatre Royal-even more that the Police patrols should be Rev. F. Freeman, R.N., H.M.S. successful than the previous per-

> Dr. J. R. Clark, D.C., N.D. Ph.C., who is on a world cruise ing at the Savoy Hotel.

Messrs. Schumakker (Shang-

Louise Gerald, who stowed

impressions

that they were warned to take of Gloucester's Garter Mission. tained there were no tangible or take of Gloucester's Garter Mission. tained there were no tangible or ding? asked hubby, viewing the the Legislative Council, and pro- pect could be held out of any re- dark brown substance doubtfully. Until we are in possession of minent leaders of the Chinese turn being made to the investing

What might have been a serious

ing signals of distress, finding Army Estimates by her husband, Homer Samuels, speed record.

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should look into the question as burden, of military as well as Kong on March 25, and later will "It is simply terrifying to timate that it did indeed undernoon as possible with a view to ates for 1920 total sand for 192

and instructed by the Government for the dawn," remarked Sambo for this particular task. I shall hand shot up. "Please miss," she ment to deal directly and promise that the Army's personnel is to when he started out before day leave it to younger ment if I gain ventured. something put on the ly in matters of this kind; and be reduced by \$,000. Half of this leaves to steal a chicken.

'VARSITY LECTURE

HYMNS PARODIED

A lecture was given by Miss M. B. Watts, M.A. in the Union Assembly Room of the University, yesterday evening, to mem-bers of the Education Society and

Miss Watts spoke of the study and attitude of the scholars of the Middle Ages, which began in Greece a very long time ago. She Employer: what and very traced the works of the men mart boy, intelligent, and very traced the works of the men quick to take notice." from Greece to Rome and other countries. In the Middle Ages the language of the people was Latin.

not many great poets in that centuses tury. The Church disapproved of takes." these wandering scholars because they were a bad lot. She menfidelity of these men, who wrote that you were doing wrong?" scandalous poems and parodied | the hymns. They even wrote a Clothing worth over \$100 was rink parody of the Creed. It was believe everything I hear!"

"ON APPROVAL"

of trousers which he left in his CLOSE OF SUCCESSFUL A.D.C. **PERFORMANCES**

> The A.D.C.'s final performance formances. The extremely small cast—(only four)—played with marked histrionic ability and gave a most admirable performance of their respective parts. At the close they very deservedly received a continued round of applause. Mrs. G. F. Hunt, the producer, made her bow, and was also

received very heartily. The play and the manner in to opening a branch of the East- tion and pleasure, and "On Approern Equitable Banking Corpora- val" may, therefore, be regarded as one of the A.D.C.'s outstand- contents gradually disappeared. ing successes.

INVESTORS LOSE

AFFAIRS OF DEAL SHARE-PUSHER

Creditors and shareholders of tinued course of misconduct. the Keystone Investment Trust, Yesterday Mr. T. S. Whyte- Ltd., met at the Board of Trade

broadcasting and life-saving sys- ese men charged with the unlaw- the company was promoted by ful possession of moulds bearing Wilfred Henry Butler, whose youngster, "now you've given resembling the name was really Walter Henry and matter most seriously—is King's local silver currency, and Brown. He had carried on busithat the Colony should not be with possession of a number of ness as an outside broker at | Kingston-on-Thames in conjunction with another person.

The Official Receiver regretted An amah employed at West that, owing to the death of Butler

substantial amount had been re- hear, so I came round to the ceived, but it was possible that back."

fewer than 81,134 £1 shares. The Official Receiver added that he was compelled to say that was certainly there in full his outside broker's business, had his throat, and his stomach. His

The meeting left the liquidation

CAPTAIN CAMPBELL

The good wishes of motorists Capt. Malcolm. Campbell, who there occurred a passage from leaves Southampton to-day (says the Bible including the words the."Daily. Mail" to hand) for "Bread to eat and raiment to put Madame Galli-Curci will arrive South Africa on the most hazard- on." To these at length the tea-

worse still not to be on the spot." thing to eat.
"If Taucceed," Capt. Campbell "Come now," said the teacher,"

"Was your uncle's life insur-

"No. He was a total loss." Harassed Carpet Salesman (appealing to henpecked husband):
"You won't beat this, sin!"

Wife (snappily): "You!!! par-don me—he will if I buy it." Boy Applicant: Yes, I am all

that. I took notice twice in or Circus Manager:

wrong now?" Indiarubber Man: "Every time of the dark ages. There were the strong man writes a letter he time to rub out the mis-

> "But, Bobbie," said his teacher. "Yes, miss," Bobbie replied.

"but you always said I mustn't Mother: "No, Willie, for the third time I tell you that you can-

not have another sixpence." Willie (gloomily): "I don't see where pa gets the idea that you're always changing your mind."

Gambler (wrathfully): "This is the second time you've served me with ment that ought to be buried! What do you mean by

Waiter: "Well, they told me that nothing pleased you more than high steaks."

Rustic (meeting friend): "Wot be 'ee goin' ter wal three moiles to Woodmucket to post a letter for? Why don't 'ee post it in the

village 'ere?" Friend: "Not me! The postmistress 'ave stopped buyin' my eggs, so I bain't a'goin' to post no more letters with she!"

A married couple at the boarding-house bought their own provisions. A sugar basin, containing lump sugar, was put on the table night and morning, and the "Shall I get you some more?"

inquired the landlady. "It doesn't matter," returned the husband. "We neither of us take it!"

Little Doris was being reprimanded by her mother for a con-

"Don't you know, Doris," she said, "that if you keep on doing so many naughty things your

"Oh, mother," returned the yourself away!".

The tramp raised his hat to the young woman who had opened the door in answer to his knock. On seeing the wayfarer the trim young maid was about to close the door abruptly when the other spoke.

"I am no ordinary beggar," he

"You at the front?" rupted the maid, glancing suspi-Apart, however, from a claim clously at his rounded shoulders.

a complete success—and then

"It's a ginger pudding!" said

Hubby tasted it. The ginger eyes watered, and he gasped.

"Lovely, isn't it?" said his wife. the hands of the Official "I got the recipe from a maga-"Are you sure, dear," said the victim, when he could speak, "that

"Now," she said, "can anyone

(Continued From Page 1.)

Wayfoong's The Jamaica 160 lbs. (Mr. Clark) 1* Dyer & Beith's Loch Alsh 160 lbs. (Mr. Heard) M. M. Watson's Monk 157 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) Mogear's Inca 152 lbs.

(Mr. Harriman) Eve's Birthday Eve 155 lbs. .. (Mr. Hill) Lau & Lee's Duke of Normandy Dynasty's King's Parade 152

II. 158 lbs. (Mr. Hu) lbs. (Mr. Haimovitch) 0 Hinson's Madeap 158 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 0

Mok Kon-sang's Nestor 151 lbs. (Mr. McCartney) F. Pierce-Grove's Ole Man River 147 lbs...... (Mr. Mórgan) Ho Sai-man's Pink Pearl 155.lbs. - (Mr. Encarnacao) 0 Hynes & Mackie's Pumpkin 155 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) Gubbays's Sunshine 152 lbs. .

(Mr. Pote-Hunt) H. P. White's Szatmar 155 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 0 Wong Ping-shun's Thunderbolt

160 lbs. (Mr. Quincey) *Objection for crossing upheld. Time: 2 min. 12.2/5 sec. Short head; a head. Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$23.10.

3rd \$12.50.

8.-The Champion Stakes.-A Sweepstakes of \$100 each for Starters with \$3,000 added for Winner. Second Third \$600. For China Official flat races in Hong Kong or China, or Jockeys approved by the Stewards. One Mile and a Quarter. parents. Mrs. Dunbar's Sitting Bull 158 158 lbs. (Mr. Hill) Mr. Ho Kom-tong's President

Hall 158 lbs. Hinson & Wong's Chesapeake Bay, 158 lbs. ... (Mr. Quincey) Mr. Eve's Boxing Eve 158 lbs. . (Mr. Pote-Hunt)

Mr. Dynasty's Young Pretender, 155 lbs. ... (Mr. Haimovitch) Mr. John Peel's Royal Flush 155 lbs. (Mr. Heard)

Time: 2 min. 37 sec. Four lengths; a length and a hal Pari-mutuel:-Winner \$7.30.

Places: 1st \$5.30; 2nd \$5.50 3rd \$8.

PASSENGER LIST

ARRIVALS.

Per s.s. "President Jackson," from | women. America and the North:-Chan Pak, Miss Chan Ah-fong, Mr. S. K. Chow, Mr. C. W. Chu, Mrs. Emma Cutter, Messrs. Dea Bing-Dea Shue-hong, A. E.

A. J. Fisher, Mr. Philip A. Fisher, Loretta Haines, Mr. J. H. R. Hance, Mr. John Van N. Holbrook, Mrs. A. L. Howden, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hobbs and Miss Gertrude Hobbs, Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hoover, workman wearing European cloth-Huang and son, Mr. J. B. Hugh. Mr. E. C. Inston, Mr. Frank Jeffer- angry, seized the turban, and tramson, Capt. H. A. Johnson, Mr. pled it in the mud. It is a great in-John S. Kernachan, Mrs. Ethel R. sult to an Afghan to have his tur-Kraus, Messrs. Lam Ting-yau, ban taken from him, and this action Leung Chi-wel, Liu Cheuk-on and on the part of Amanullah caused a Liu Yi-ham, Mr. and Mrs. Mark great deal of bad blood in Kabul. Sun-see, Miss Nancy Mathewson. Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Monroe and Miss Belle Munro, Mr. S. Negami, Miss Jacquelini Noel, Miss Fannie Northcott, Messrs. Ou Chik-ting, O. C. Pease, A. A. Remedios and R. K. Rodger, Miss Inez F. Sandall, Mr. Emil Schoch; Dr. S. N. Shandrikoff, Messrs. O. G. Simpson and M. W. Stranak, Mrs. E. A. Strout, Mr. John Thayer, Mr. T. Y. Tong, Miss Elizabeth Van Meter, Mr. C. E. Walsh, Mr. William F. Whipple, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Waples, Miss Margaret B. Waples, Mr. Woo Yewho, Mr. and Mrs. Woo Doon, Mr. George Wong, Mr. T. A. Wright, Miss Wu Moh-lan, Mr. H. S. Yung.

According to the Chinese press, a passenger of the s.s. "Hsin Kiangteen," believed to have been a cotton merchant who was unable to meet his liabilitles, committed suicide by jumping into the sea as the vessel was proceeding from Shanghai to Ningpo during the holidays.

Upon receipt of reports to the effect that local merchants have subscribed \$80,000 for a new Shanghai city temple, work on which was arranged, to begin next month, the Bureau of Social Affairs for Greater Shanghai at once Issued orders forbidding the erection of this building.

The annual prize giving of the Singapore Chinese Girls' School was held last Saturday. Lady Clifford (wife of H.E. the Governor, Bir. Hugh Clifford) presented the prizes.

QUEEN SOURIYA

KING FORSAKES KINGDOM FOR HIS WIFE

A PEN PICTURE

The following pen-picture o Queen Souriya, written just before King Amanuliah's abdication, shows the tremendous influence wielded by the Queen in bringing about the reforms which have ended in such unfortunate results:-

Surayya-I-Malika, Queen of Afghanistan, has caused a war. Afghanistan, never long a stranger to war, rebellion, feuds, and assassinations, is an Arabian Nights land of fierce hillmen.

and traditions of blood and steel. It is the buffer between Red Russia and British India, one of the most coveted countries in the world, and the last to be ruled by an absolute monarch.

mighty mountains, terrifying gorges

Wives in Cages -Habibullah Khan, father of King Amanullah, was assassinated there in 1919. His brother seized the throne. He held it for just six days. Then King Amanullah threw

Soon the sword was out againthis time against Britain. The King invaded Northern India. That was soon over. Now he is a friend not only of Britain, but a convert to Western ways.

One of his Western ways is that he Places: 1st \$9.30; 2nd \$17.10; thinks one wife is enough for any man, and that a wife should have a mind and views of her own. His Queen has both. Hence the trouble. Queen Souriya prefers Paris frocks to Afghan "over-alls," and Winners at this Meeting an open face to a veiled one. She Weight for inches as per believes that girls should be edu-Ponies to be ridden by eated, that they should choose Jockeys who have won at least 5 their own husbands instead of being sold to the highest bidder by their

Her husband has made a decree to this effect. He announced it to a packed gathering of Moslems, to whom women are chattels worth so (Mr. Encarnação) · 2 | many horses and goats. His audience gasped.

chief priests "is a blow at the lahend for the last year instead of back Koran, a stab at the heart of our and forth between Los Angeles and religion, an overthrowal of all our Salt Lake, he would have circled the ancient history. The "Warrior globe twice and been half way around Chief' is mad!"

But the "Warrior Chief" was not mad. He had sense enough to know that polygamy spells corruption and intrigue; that Afghanistan is a backward country holding one of the world's key positions, yet unable to make full use of it; that women have brains-and most of all that his Queen is not merely his consort, but his very far-seeing

Queen Souriya has other views as well on the emancipation of Afghan

Major G. D. Anderson, Mr. M. F. fashioned Afghan caught his wife Hi Backus, II., Mrs. Mabel E. Bullene, winking at another man out of the Mr. and Mrs. James Belden, Mr. folds of the hood and robe in which Charles F. Bowen, Mr. V. E. she was immured like a monk, he Bramming, Mrs. Lola S. Bromley, | could (a) divorce her, (b) strangle Mrs. N. M. Carman, Mr. Chan Lai- her, (c) cut off her nose, or (d) hang tsun, Mrs. Chan Leong-ping, Mr. her up in an iron cage on the top of a pole until she died of thirst ...

How Amanullah Was Deceived Berlin.-Mrs. Hetzel, the wife of a German manager of a match fac-Francke and F. F. Fairman, Dr. tory near the ex-Kink Amanullah's residence, relates in a Berlin even-Mr. S. L. Frost, Mr. C. G. Gadow, ing paper some of her interesting Mrs. Sarah Gearon, Mrs. Iva G. experiences in Kabul, from which Gilbert, Mr. B. Govoroff, Miss | place she was conveyed by a British aeroplane, together with other European women.

On one occasion, Mrs. Hetzel says, Amanullah met an Afghan and daughter, Mrs. C. Y. ing, but with a turban on his head, whereupon the King became very

Mrs. Hetzel tells a story of Bacha-I-Sakao, who has usurped the throne. He had written Amanullah asking forgiveness for his deeds as a bandit, and promising to enter the

King's service. Amanullah agreed to this, whereupon one day Bacha-I-Sakso called him up on the telephone, disguising his voice as that of a provincial governor, told the King that Bacha was there, and asked what should be done with him.

replied that Bacha was to be "removed," and on the supposed gov ernor replying that the Koran for bade the killing of men, the King said, "Well, blind him." The er raged Bacha made himself known; and replied, "I will come to Kabu to-morrow and blind you," and the next day he began his attack on

Mileage King



If Fred W. Kelly (above), Los "Here," said the mujtahids, the Angeles air pilot, had flown straight on his third lap. His 1928 record is calculated as 115,760 miles which he negotiated in 1,151 flying hours.

MISS MAUD JEFFRIES

FAMOUS ACTRESS HURT IN MOTOR SMASH

Jeffries, was seriously injured in a guitar. motor-car collision near Narrama. New South Wales, while on her way For example, when the old- to her husband's property at Red

The other car contained an Englishwoman and ther family who she. The Only One." were touring.

Miss Maud Jeffries, who was one | tre: "The Woman Disputed." of the best-known figures on the stage in the later Victorian and Early Edwardian periods, was born in 1869 on a cotton plantation in Cachoma County, Mississippi, United States. She appeared at the New Olympic Theatre, London, on December 4, 1890, as Lydia in "The People's Idol." She became Mr. Wilson Barrett's leading lady at the age of 21. She appeared with Mr. Wilson Barrett in many London plays, including "The Sign of the Cross" and "The Silver King," until 1897, when she went with him to Australia. She continued in London in 1899, and finally went to Sir Beerbohm Tree in 1900.

In 1904 she married a wealthy Australian settler in Christchur, New Zealand, and retired from the stage in 1906.

M. Morris, of Maison Morris, Euston-road, N.W. retained the challenge trophy of the International Bldgs., Kowloon, household furni-Hairdressers' Society at the 17th ture, 11 a.m. annual contest, held at Lyons Corner House, Coventry-street, W.

Photo shows chamber in Salvation Army headquarters at Sunbury on The amen where the High Coun-

cil met to choose a successor to Gene ral Bramwell Boothi

Salvation Army Meeting Place

REMARKABLE CURE OF TYPHOID FEVER THROUGH POO ON CHINESE HERBS.

Under Physician's Treatment Two Weeks-Grew Worse-Doctors Insist Removing Boy To Hospital And Give Very Little Hope Of Recovery.

Jenis Brooks, son of Mrs. John Tel the approaching pain and blind-Amanullah fell into the trap, and Brooks, 1904 H. Street, Modesto, Calif., ness. U.S.A., suffored; with typhoid fever, ist in Stockton, and Modesto. She for two weeks under physician's and finally grew so bad that I had to keep nurse's care-grew steadily worse, her in a darkened room. I keep her Mother becomes alarmed over safety under constant care in the darkened of her son and is induced to try the POO ON CHINESE HERB TREAT- friend then told me about the Herbal-MENT for Typhoid. Result-Instant relief and absolute cure in short time. Mrs. Brooks said:-

"My boy Jenis was in bed suffering from fever and chills, he was treated by physicians for two weeks with what they called typhoid fever. he could not eat and had severe pains' in the stomach; delirious, stomach was bloated; he was kept in ice packs and rubber fee mattress and attended by a trained nurse; he did not show any improvement but became worse so other doctors were 'called in for consultation. They all insisted on removing boy to the hospital and did not give much hope for his recovery.

"I was recommended and insisted upon by Mrs. De Lemos to try the Poo On Chinese Herb Treatment, as she had been cured of a complication of diseases by them.

POO ON CHINESE HERBS a trial; after the first day's treatment the bronchial and lung trouble, throat, fever was very, much reduced and he cough, asthma, hay feevr, malaria, began to have an appetite and slept stomach trouble, indigestion, constipawell at night.

ments the boy was absolutely well kidney, bladder trouble, Bright's disand playing around the yard and ent- ease, diabetes, rheumatism, neuralgia, ing heartily, and was able to go back dropsy, pyorrhea. epileptic, fits, to school, and feels as well as he never

Mrs. G. A. Bayes says:-"I am Positive That Poo On Chinese Herbs and Ointment Saved My Child's Eyesight Because I tried Several Eye. Specialists Before Going To Poo On. His Cure Was Simply Wonderful and I Am Very Grateful.

Mrs. G. A. Bayes, 611, Third Street, Modesto Calif., U.S.A., says:-"My little girl, 8 years old, in there seemed no way to stop European Lady in attendance.

rdom for " nearly two!" months. " A ist, Yes Foo Lun; and the Poo On Chinese Herb Treatment: I had no faith in treatments of this kind, and I have tried so many kinds of treatments and doctors in vain, but in desperation I decided to try ... the Poor On Chinese Herbs!" At this time water was running from her eyes excessively. I gave her the Poo On Chinese Herbs, an ointment, and some wash. At the end of a week the water running from 'the eyes 'stopped and almost at once a marked improves ment took place. She continued to improve very fast and her eyes began to clear up. A short while after I started giving her the Poo On Herbs she was entirely cured from this disease and her eyes were back to normal so that she could see as good as ever. I am certainly thankful to the Herbs and the Herbalist and am positive that Pdo On Herbs Absolutely "I made up my mind to give the cured my child's eyes." Thousands suffering from catarrh,

tion. gastritis, piles, diarrhoea, fistula, After five days' treatment the fever | heart disease, eczema, scrofula, female was cured and after a few more treat- trouble, nervousness, insomnia, obesity, paralysis, tumors, ulcer, pimples, dizziness, "headaches, and many other chronic diseases, have been restored to health and happiness without poisonous drugs or the knife, by the Poo On Chinese Herbs.

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SHADOWS BEFORE.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED IN THE "MAIL"

To-day-Seventh annual dancing display by Miss V. Capell's pupils at Queen's Theatre, 5 p.m. To-day—Harmston's Circus, Praya

East Reclamation, 9.15 p.m. To-day-Queen's Theatre; "The Sydney,-Mrs. Osborne, formerly | Emden;" also the Orloff Brothers the English actress Miss Maud with their Balalaika and steel

> To-day-World Theatre; "A Cer- Theatre Royal 9.15 p.m. tain Young Man."

and Evil." To-day - Majestic Theatre; Feb. 28-Mar. 2-Queen's Thea-

To-day - Hong Kong Hotel: Special Dinner Dance. March 1-Dance at Engineers and 6 p.m. Shipbuilders' Institute. Mar. 1-Harmston's Circus even-

ing performance in aid of the Mar. 2-Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon. Race week Carnival night in

the Rose Room, at 8.30 p.m. display at Star Theatre, 9.15 p.m. Mar. 6 Garden Party at Club de Recreio, King's, Park, in honour of the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga and the Hon. Dr. Tso, 5.80 p.m. Mar. 8—S.P.C.A. Fancy Dress and

Masked Ball at Peninsula Hotel. Land Sales Mar. 4-At P.W.D. Offices, two

lots of Crown land at Tai Kok Tsui and Shamshuipo, 3 p.m. Lammerts' Auctions Feb. 28-At 28, Humphreys

Mar. 1-At 35, Humphreys Bldgs. household furniture, 11 a.m.

March 1-At H. K. & K. Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon Godown No. 18, Miscellaneous goods.;

Mar. 12-At Auction Rooms, 4, Duddeil-st., valuable leasehold properties in four lots, 3 p.m. Mar. 13, 14, 15, 16—At 3, Bowenroad, a part of Mrs. C. Montague Ede's valuable household furniture, from 11 a.m.

To-day-Hong Kong Jockey Glub Annual Race Meeting. March 2-Boxing Tournament at

Mar. 9-First Extra Race meet-To-day-Star Theatre; "Adam ing of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, Happy Valley. March 16-St. Peter's Church Y.M.C.'s Marathon Race, 8 p.m.

> Meetings Feb. 28-Ninth yearly meeting of Kowloon Residents' Association, in St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon,

> Feb. 28 — Thirty-third yearly meeting of the Dairy Farm Ice & Cold Storage Co., Ltd., 2 Lower Albert-rd., noon. Feb. 28-Meeting of Chinese

General Chamber of Commerce. March 1-Hong Kong Tramways Mar. 2-Miss V. Capell's dancing Ltd., Annual Meeting, Messrs. Jardine's office, noon.

> Mar. 1-Meeting of Football Association Council, 5.30 p.m. Mar. 1-Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Asson, annual meeting, Hong Kong Cricket Olub Pavilion, 6 p.m.

> March 7-Forty-second annual meeting of Shareholders of H.K. & K. Whf. & Godown Co.; Ltd., Messra. Jardine offices, noon.

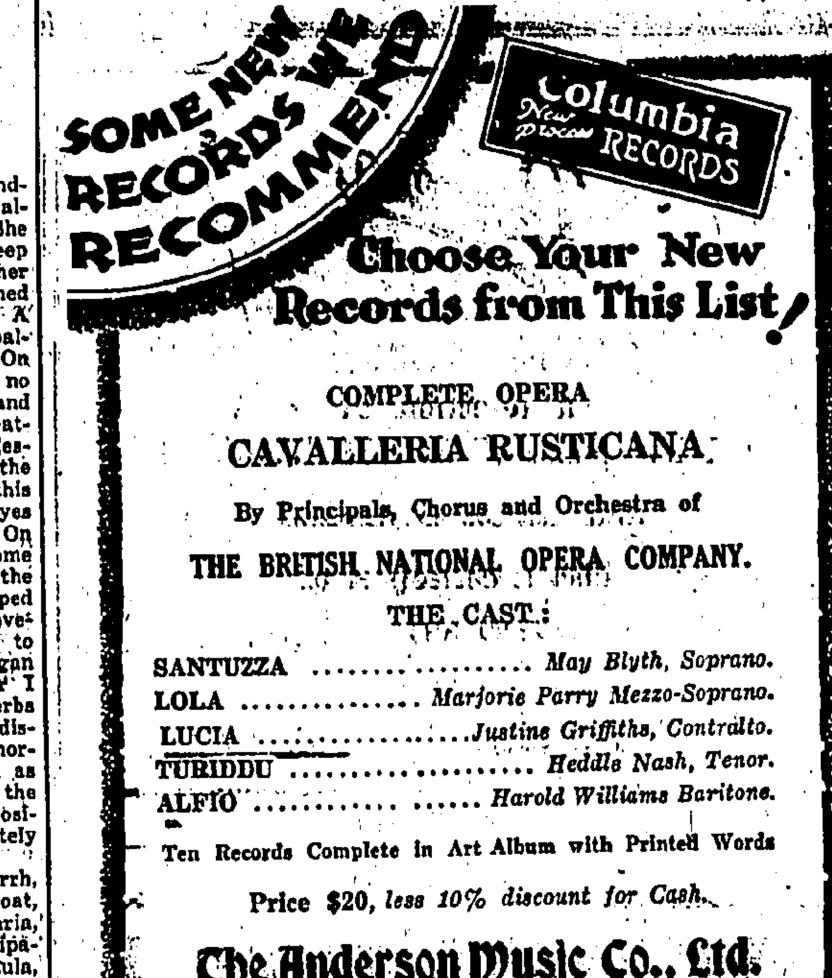
Mar. 8-Hong Kong Football Referees' Association meeting Chaplain's Hut, Scandal Point. March 18-Fortieth annual meeting of Green Island Cement Co. Ltd., St. George's Bldg., Chater-rd.,

Miscellaneous To-day-Evensong and Address by Rev. Fr. Freeman, R.N., 5.80 p.m. Feb. 28-Meeting of H.K.V.D.C. Sergeants' Mess Committee, 6 p.m. March 1-Prize distribution and entertainment at the Diocesan Girls' School, Kowloon, 5.30 p.m. March 4 - Public lecture at Helena May Institute on "Chinese Symbolic Art," 5 p.m.

Mar. 4-Distribution of prizes by Mrs. W. T. Southorn at the Italian Convent, 86 Caine rd., 5 p.m.

This year is the centenary of the University Boat Race. If Cambridge win, they will have exactly tied with Oxford in the number of victories gained.







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MEMORIAL THEATRE

STRATFORD-ON-AVON'S MAG-NIFICENT BUILDING

TO SHAKESPEARE

Stratford-on-Avon. — A definite announcement may be regarding the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre which is to be built here in place of the one destroyed by fire in March 1926.

The executive committee hopes may be possible to have the foundation stone laid on Shakespeare's birthday, April 29. This s contingent upon the acceptance of one of the tenders now sub-

Plans for the new theatre, by Miss Elisabeth Scott, of Hampstead, N.W., were accepted a year ago. The fund for its erection then

amounted to £240,000. Indications that developments may be imminant will welcomed by the public and the governors of the theatre. There has been much dissatisfaction with the apparently O dilatory proceedings and the failure of the executive committee to do anything substantial towards bringing the theatre into existence.

The governors know little about the matter, as the initiative rests with the committee, the chief member of which, Mr. A. D. Flower, is touring the United States with the Festival Company of Players. Mr. Ludford C. Docker, a former High Sheriff of Warwickshire, resigned from the committee last March because, he said, he could not find out when a beginning was to be made.

Six fresh cases of small-pox Rate of Native Inwere reported yesterday—all being Chinese from the Victoria Chinese Sub. Coin .. 3234% dis. district. Two cases of enteric Hong Kong Sub. Coin 14% dis. fever and two of puerperal fever were also notified; all being Chinese.

The total output of the Kailan Mining Administration's mines for the week ended February 9; amounted to 488 tons, and the sales during the period to 66,296

The rainfall for the 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day was 0.41 inch, making since January, a total of 1.38 inches against an average of 3.04 inches.



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On Singapore—	Shell Transports95/-
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CRICKET

WEST INDIES TOUR BY ENGLISH XI

TWO CENTURIES SCORED

Kingston, Yesterday. All Jamaica beat J. Cahn's team of English cricketers by seven wickets.

72), Hylton taking 5 wickets for -Reuter. 24; and then 336 (O'Connor 63, Peach 75, Nicholas 63 not out).

Jamaica replied with 503 (Nunes 112, Holt 128, Headley 57, and Barrow 61), O'Connor taking 5 wickets for 96. Jamaica scored 51 for 3 wickets in their second innings.—Reuter.

LOCAL CRICKET ...

VOLUNTEERS BEAT THE SERVICES

The Vokinteers defeated the United Services in the two-days' Raith R. cricket match by 44 runs, on the H.K.C.C. ground. Volunteers, 1st Innings 57

United Services, 1st Innings . 83 Volunteers, 2nd Innings A. W. Hayward, c Weir, b Dobbie

O. Moor, c & b Mott E. C. Fincher, l.b.w. Mott ... F. Zimmern, c Baker, b Weir H. Owen Hughes, c Mott, b E. J. R. Mitchell, st. Abelson, b Lightfoot :..... J.-L. Bonnar, l.b.w. Miles ... H. V. Parker, not out

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> Total (for 9 wkts., dec.) 242 HOWLING ANALYSIS.

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Lt. Commdr. Abelson, not out

LEAGUE CRICKET

Owen Hughes ... 3 0 13

University Second Team for Saturday

The following will represent the University second eleven in a League cricket match against the Royal Navy at King's Park on Saturday afternoon.—

F. Hiptoola (Captain), M. B. Osman, A. Baker, H. T. Barma, A. Chan Fook, K. T. Loke, A. B. Sulieman, S. R. Kermani, G. E. Yeoh, A. A. Aziz, and D. Roy.

FOOTBALL RANGERS EASILY BEAT THIRD LANARK

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Glasgow, Yesterday. Playing on their own ground at Ibrox Park, Rangers met Third Lanark in a Scottish League match Cahn's side scored 217 (Iddon and won easily by five goals to one.

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UNITED SERVICES

R.A. To Meet Somerset

The match for to-day in the through the hands of Mr. H. Ahwee Mr. A. F. Clark 2 United Services competition is a and the third through the hands of Mr. Wong 2 senior one, between the R.A. and Mr. Wong Kin-wo. the Somerset Light Infantry. Play will be at Sookumpoo, kick-

That coveted trophy for old follow:-University golfers known as the President's Putter was again won by Sir Ernest Holderness, who beat Tolley in the final.

BIGGEST PRIZES

FACTS ABOUT CASH SWEEP WINNERS

OHINESE GETS TWO LAKHS

The winning numbers and prizes

in the South China Athletic Association \$10 cash sweep were as follow:--Ticket No. 00,790 \$200,203 Dynasty 3 32,780 L. Dunbar *Unplaced starters (5) each 3,818 | Chan Pik-chuen 2 *Non-runners (20) each ...

in yesterday's "China Mail." Ticket No. 790 was sold through M. M. Watson 1 Mr. Luk Cheuk-fung to a Chinese, Wayfoong 1 whose surname is not given but Hinson & Wong ts. whose other names are Tuan-fong. Liang & Lo 1 Mr. Luke O Wan, chairman of the Wong Ping-shun 1 S.C.A.A., sold the second ticket to Hynes & Mackie 1

Mr. Tang Tsze-hang. Mr. Ho Yun-kwong sold the third W. E. L. Shenton 0 ticket to a syndicate of nine at No. Fny & Seth 0 64, Bonham-strand East.

The Chinese Club The winning numbers and prizes Gubbays0 n the Chinese Club \$10 sweep were Mrs. Pearce 0 as follow:--Ticket No. 24,278.40 Hee, Cheong 0 08,311 12,139.20 | Hau Yun 0 *Unplaced starter (5)

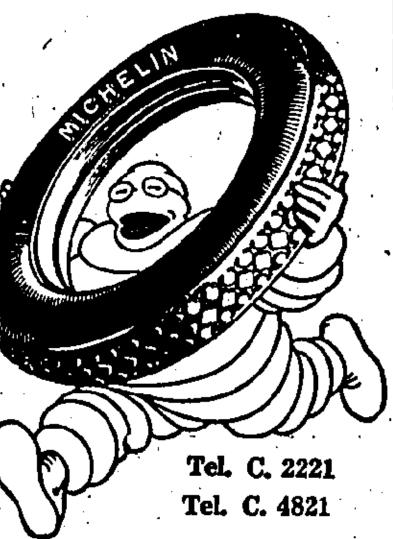
*Non-runners (20) each... *numbers of which were published in yesterday's "China Mail." The first prize went to a ticket | Mr. Hill 5 which went from Dr. Kwan to Kuala | Mr. Encarnacao 4 Lumpur. The second ticket passed | Mr. Haimovitch 3

Club Lusitano Prizes in the Club Lusitano cash Mr. Quincey off 4.30 p.m. Referce, Cpl. Shead. sweep, to be decided on the Cham- Mr. W. Hu 1 pions (8th race) to-day, are as Mr. Stanton 1st prize\$28,000 2nd , 8,000 3rd ,, 4,000 The draw resulted:-

Dempsey in Promoter's Role



Dempsey in the role of promoter seems strange to lans who remember him as the lithe, tigerish killer of the ring; but, here he is, in obedience to last wishes of his pal, the late. Tex Rickard, signing up Jack Sharkey for the proposed bout with Young Stribling in Florida. Scated, Johnny Buckley, Sharkey's on Madison Square Garden; Sheldon Fairbanks, manager of the Boston Garden, and Dan Carroll, fight manager.



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CURRENCY

ITS STABILISATION IN CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

Prague, Yesterday. The Governor of the National Bank of Czecho-Slovakia has announced the forthcoming stabilisation of currency at 33.75 crowns to 44.58 milligrammes gold to the crown.—Reuter.

AFTER

NOTICE

ROYAL HONG KONG YACHT CLUB.

"TREVESSA TROPHY."

Places gained in the first two FINE ELEVENTH BI-ANNUAL days of race week are as follow:- | A RACE for Ships' Lifeboats will be sailed on WEDNESDAY, 1st 2nd 3rd the 27th March next, starting at

> Each ship may enter any number of boats.

COURSE:-Start from Channel Rocks, thence to Kowloon Rock (P), Mark of Yacht Club (S), Cust 2 Rock Gas Buoy (P), finish at the Yacht Club across the line from West to East.

Competing boats should be in position at the starting line by 3.30 p.m.

Ships proposing to enter boats are requested to notify the Hon. Secretary, Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, not later than noon, on the 27th March.

R. J. VERNALL. Hon. Secretary, R.H.K.Y.C. Hong Kong, 27th Feb., 1929.

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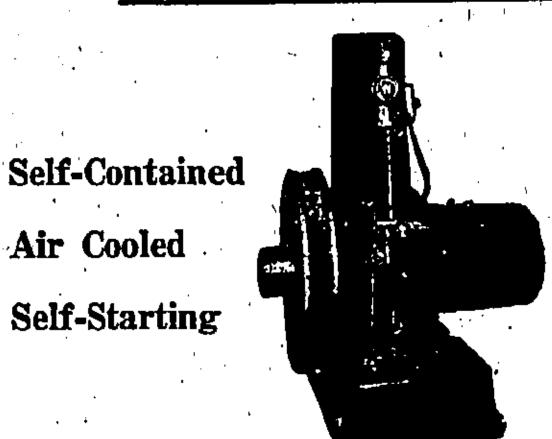
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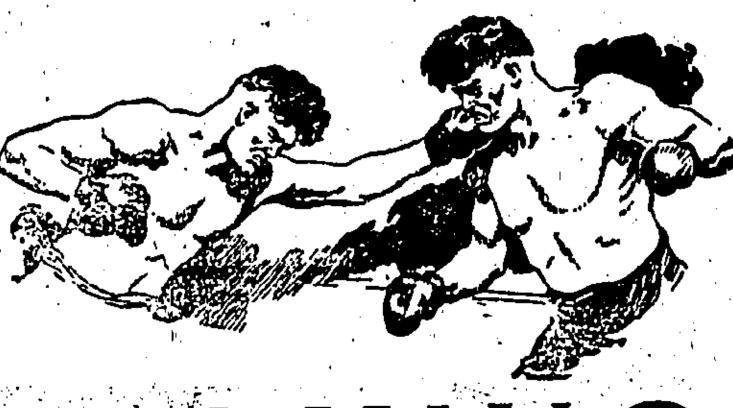
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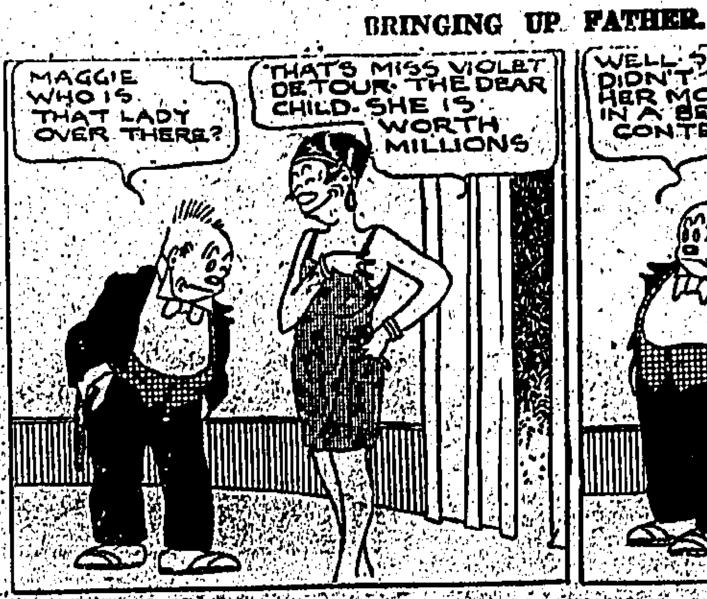
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WORLD NEWS IN PICTURES.

For Gallantry in the Argonne



Captain Edward E. Schwein, U.S.A., plans and training officer of the Sixteenth infantry, receiving the Distinguished Service Cross at the hands of Major-General Hanson Ely on Governors Island. He was cited for bravery in the Meuse-Argonne, where, although himself wounded, he continued with his men until their objective was attained.

Lord Burghley and His Bride



Photo shows Lord Burghley, Britain's famous Olympic sprinter, son and heir of the Marquis and Marchioness of Exeter, and his bride, the former Lady Mary Montagu-Douglas-Scott, as they left St. Clement Danes Church in London, following their wedding ceremony. Burghley is the 400-metre hurdles champion.

Prince Rigo's Widow



The Princess Rigo and her betrothed, former Governor Edward Gordon of Florida. Above, her engagement chateau in the hills of

Spayten, Duyvil.

British Star



Miss Wendy Osborne, the British screen actress, who has just returned from Australia. She went into the interior of New Guinea, and is thought to be the only white woman to have done so. She has travelled around the world seven times.

Cabinet Nominees



Thomas D. Campbell (left), of Montana, and Walter F. Brown, of Ohio, who are prominently mentioned as candidates for posts of Secretary of Agriculture and Postmaster-General, respectively, in the Cabinet of President-elect Herbert Hoover.

She Blocks Decree



Mrs. Lilian Pfender (above) introduced a new wrinkle in domestic triangles when she hired a moving van, installed a movie camera and an operator and took a picture of her husband entering and leaving an apartment with his secretary. Her ingentity caused the Court to set axide preliminary decrea, graphed her husband; Carl D. Pfender, a year ago.

Salvation Army Drama



Commander Evangeline Booth photographed with her secretary, Colonel Griffiths, as they left the home of General Bramwell Booth in Southwold, Suffolk. The former was in attendance at meeting of the Army's High Council at Sunbury-on-Thames, where a successor to General Booth was chosen.

Son of an Earl Prefers Farm



He is the Hon. Frederick Joseph Moore Perceval, Calgary, Alb., son of Charles J. Perceval, who has just been confirmed as the tenth Earl of Egmont. The elder Perceval has ranched in the North-West for 28 years and declares that he will not claim his sent in the House of Lords.

Places Wreath on Franklin's Grave

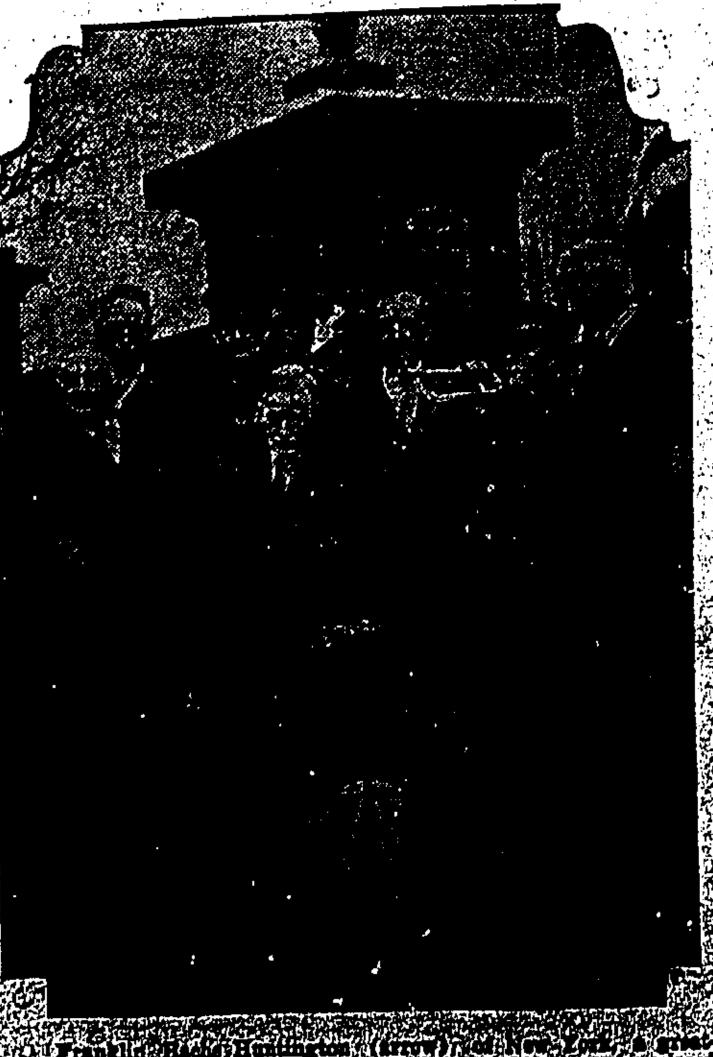


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accumulated a long line of Bethlehem Steel through a score of

hid the identity of the buyer, and

when one of the strongest cliques

stock, they caused stories to

printed that did not paint a

of the controlling interest.

of \$19,000.

The First Plunge

Field was born in a tenement on

Avenue C, of immigrant parents

and at an early age was selling

He often told the story of his first

adventures in finance long before

his majority when a banker who

on the way home to Brooklyn to

purchase his paper from the enter-

did not consistently go to his liking,

lost his first million. And this was

to be repeated some 15 times before

A Lucky Whisper

periods before the age of 21 that he secured a job as messenger for

It was during one of his down

Wall Street house. This was

during the panic of 1878 and one day he was sent to deposit a cheque for \$180,000 in his firm's bank.

Arriving there he noticed two officers of the institution talking and

edging nearer he heard something

that sent him scurrying back to his

son that struck the exchange like

a death blow. But the cause be-

came known early the next morning when the bank suspended payment and brought on a deluge of selling

orders that drove prices downward

in all quarters. But one house was

short of the market up to the hilt

and profited considerably from the

decline, all because their messenger

had overheard a conversation and

had tipped them off. Nor did he

forget to bring the \$130,000 cheque

back to his employers, who deposit-

an influence in the market that he

had difficulty in always covering

his tracks and the result was that

he was soon the centre of a clique

that could make a tremendous km-

pression on prices by virtue of the

money they controlled. The group

had their headquarters at the

Waldorf-Astoria Hotel on 34th

In later years Field wielded such

ed it in a stronger institution.

employers. The result was a heavy selling wave without apparent rea-

he won on balance and before he had reached 25 he had won and

golden harvest.

he left the street.

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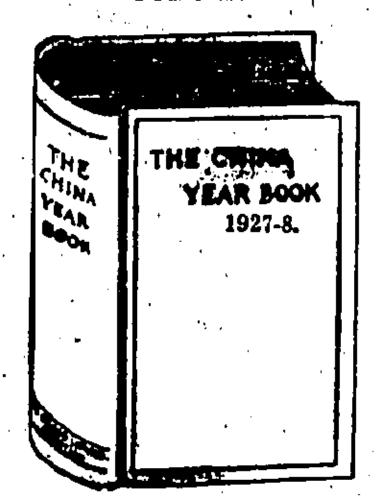
brokerage houses that completely With the recent demise of Jacob Field in New York at the age of 76, Wall Street has lost one of the most vivid figures that ever braved ing "Bessie" they found only a void, fragment of its narrow confines. For several decades past "Jakie" Field as he was known to hundreds of speculators in persons, and to thousands by the printed words of his exploits, has been the one bull in the china shop that could always be counted upon to provide the financial roman- gradually the story got out that someone had sneaked in under their ticists with fuel for their flames.

A rigid exponent of the old order when men wore fancy waistcoats, boutonnieres, Prince Albert collars, and showed almost a fanaticand the only runner-up he had was I've been buying 'Bessie' for six' the late Thomas W. Lawson of Bos-months. I got quite a line now.

Fooling 'em With the Truth tic of Field to the newspaper men economic laws and despite the Donoughmore presided over the who were often on that most dif- wishes of the bank controlled group, Committee. ficult of trails, a financial story of Bethlehem sought its true level far friendliness, and indeed he well it. utilized his one rule in Wall Street, | A daring plunger, who made an and again when pressed to reveal a fortune of millions of dollars, something that had been whispered Field pitted his judgment against about, Field would greet reporters the hazards of the Stock Exchange cigar and tell them the whole mat-run it, for 58 years. He retired phrase "of that ilk."

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WHAT "THAT ILK" MEANS

in the Street suddenly started buy- the with the result that the price shot brought from the British Museum up by leaps and bounds. Instantly to assist the Committee for Priviaware that something was wrong leges with regard to the vexed quesand anxious to dislodge some of the tion of whether barons in Scotland be before 1445 possessed personal or merely territorial dignities. The vivid future for the company and Committee also examined, amongst other things, the terms of a truce between Scotland and England.

claim of Sir Bruce Gordon Seton that he is entitled to the dignity of Finally one reporter thought he Lord Gordon, being the heir of ism in dress, that was indeed most might get a lead on the yarn from Alexander Seton of Touch, the marked in a world of financial Field and to the impeccable opera-grandson of Sir Alexander Seton, Brummels, Field was a character, tor he went only to learn, "Yes, who married the heiress of the Gordon family and was, Sir Bruce T Gordon Seton contends, created think it's good for a 50 point rise," Lord Gordon about the year 1429. and it was so. Personal feelings

The claim is opposed by the Mar-But the outstanding characteris- and antagonisms could not change quis of Huntly. The Earl of

Lord Darling asked what was the with a smile and the ever offered and the banking cliques that largely meaning in the documents of the

ter in detail and it usually happen- in 1925 on account of ill health, at Viscount Dunedin: It is generalthe same time disposing of his seat ly regarded as referring to the antifor \$152,000, the highest price then quity of the family and to the fact on record. The seat had been purtithat the person is the chief of the chased by him in 1898 for a price family. Grant of Grant would be Grant of that ilk, but the phrase would also apply if there was no

As an illustration of his case, counsel mentioned that within five years the Bothwells parted with newspapers on Brooklyn Bridge. their lands, but retained their title. Queen Mary's Bothwell was not

prising youngster gave him a tip What counsel called "titles for exin a mining stock that was about port" were discussed in relation to to declare an extra dividend, the embassy of King James II. in Though not yet 16, Field borrowed 1437 to England. The Scottish reand begged whatever money he presentatives included Sir Alexancould get and plunged to the hilt in der Seton (primus) and were deone of the numerous bucket shops scribed as "barones." That, he then legal in New York. The result suggested, was the nearest term to was as the banker expected. The the English word "baron" which

come a financier. Though the game of Touch.

OF SCOTLAND

peers of Scotland. This

noses and bought the better part The Committee are examining the

Mr. J. R. N. Macphail, K.C., for

impending deals, was his unfailing above where Jakie started buying the petitioner, said that the title had not been claimed for 500 years. He had an explanation. There was "Fool 'em with the truth." Time initial speculation of \$10 grew to powerful usurpation and a great deal of fraud.

Chief of Family

owner of the lands of Bothwell.

In 1428 Alexander Seton (secunstopped his carriage every evening dus) was not "master"; in 1435 he was "master", a title born by eldest sons of peers.

stock "shot through the roof" to use could be used.

a Wall Street term and Field reaped Viscount Dunedin said that the Committee would accept that if Quite naturally his interest in Alexander Seton (primus) was newspaper selling ceased and he created a peer that peerage would deserted Brooklyn Bridge to be descend through Alexander Seton

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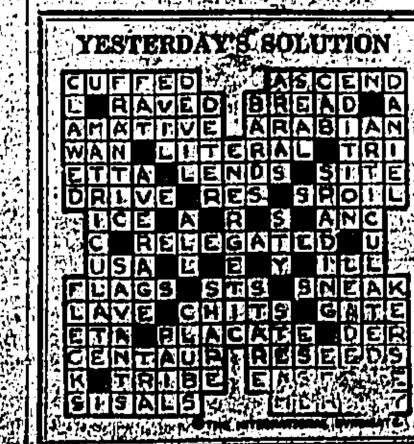
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Street and the "Waldorf crowd" as it came to be known was a force No. 9295, 12-Inch to be reckoned with. At its head was an immaculately The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise

had a habit of "fooling 'em with the truth" and getting away with it. Jakie Field did for half a cenitury and all Wall Street, friend and foe alike, mourns his passing. He was a foeman worthy of any man's



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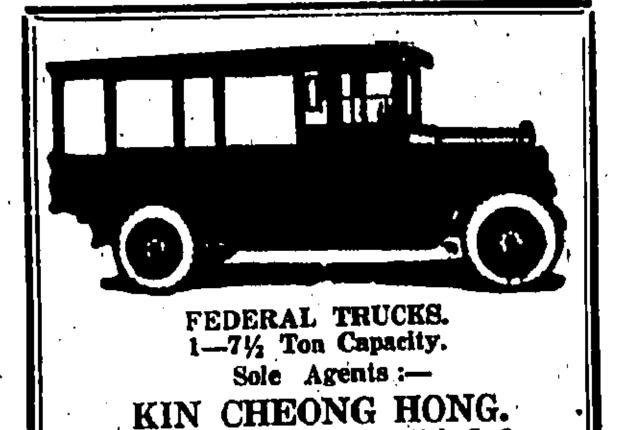
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TRAFFIC STILL ACTIVE

Washington, Yesterday. The Senate has ratified the convention, signed at Geneva in September, 1926, to suppress the

slave trade. Mr. F. B. Kellogg (State Department Secretary) has issued a statement declaring that certain territories in Africa still have slave traffic and that the Convention is designed to suppress it and to prevent compulsory labour from developing into conditions analogous to slavery .- Reuter's American Ser-

HEALTH & LABOUR

INCREASING COST OF THE **MINISTRIES**

JOINT ESTIMATES

London, Yesterday. The increasing cost of social legislation is revealed by the joint estimates of the Ministries of Health and Labour of £79,056,000 an increase of £2,417,000, of which housing grants account for £490,000, unemployment for £265,000, old age pensions for £1,300,000, and emigration for £43,000.—Reuter.

SIBERIAN EXPRESS

WRECKED IN COLLISION WITH GOODS TRAIN

CASUALTIES SLIGHT

Harbin, Yesterday. News has just been received of train smash on the trans-Siberian Railway, though fortunately the casualties do not appear to have \$2,100 is requested to meet this been serious.

It seems that the mishap occurred on Sunday evening, the Moscow express (on its way to Moscow) crashing into a stationary goods train lying in the station at Horhonte.

Several passengers received minor hurts, but there were no serious casualties.

The express was wrecked and the passengers travelled by special train from Herhonte to Manchuli in order to catch their connection.—Reuter.

UNEMPLOYED

STILL A SERIOUS PROBLEM AT HOME

London, Yesterday. in Great Britain on February 18 Chi Kok Gaol, fire fighting appliwas 1,458,000. This was 115,495 ances \$4,600. pages due to frost and snow.— and only \$1,003.89 was expended. British Wireless Service.

the Shanghai Provisional Court is pumping set, to be obtained from nearing completion and will be ready next month.

FINANCE VOTES COMMITTEE TO SANCTION \$85,820

OFFICIAL EXPLANATION

His Excellency the Governor has presented for the consideration of the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council to-morrow the. items of supplementary expenditure set out below:-

Public Works, Extraordinary:-Hong Kong, Buildings, New Porch to C.S.O. Building \$1,000.

There was insufficient time to complete the work before the end of the year and a revote of the amount unexpended, viz. \$1,000 is requested. by Special Warrant.

Public Works, Extraordinary:-furnishing \$9,000.

A vote of \$13,000 was approved Heung \$10,000. in November, 1928 to meet the cost of the above mentioned work.

There was insufficient time to amount unexpended, viz. \$9,000 is tenance period of six months.

by Special Warrant. Education:-Special Expenditure, end of the maintenance period. Contribution to cost of Advisory Committee on Education in the

Colonies \$2,100... An Advisory Committee on Education in the Colonies has been constituted as from January 1. 1929, under the chairmanship of

the Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for the Colonies. The annual cost of the committee estimated at not less than £4,000 will be defrayed by contributions from the funds of the Dependencies. The contribution from Hong

Kong has been assessed at £210. Supplementary provision expenditure.

Fire Fighting

Public Works, Extraordinary: - \$500. fire fighting appliances buried by Government has recently

A sum of \$6,400 was provided for smail-pox. this work in the 1928 Estimates but as the work was commenced in respect of work done during the late in the year, it was not possible second half of December, 1928 to complete it before December 31. and only \$2,620.80 was expended. Office, Kowloon City \$420.

A re-vote of \$4,600 is there-England, together with other in had been made in the Estimates. cidental works to complete the

The total number of unemployed New Kowloon, Miscellaneous, Lai

more than the week before and A sum of \$5,600 was provided 321,313 more than a year ago. The for this work in the Estimates but feet width and filling in areas at increase over the previous week was as the work was commenced late in spread over the whole country and the year, it was not possible to is no doubt accounted for by stop- complete it before December 31, fore requested to meet cost of a Merryweather stationary motor The new five-storey building of driven rotary pressure augmentor

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EMERGENCY HOSPITALS

New York, Yesterday. Casualties are reported on the track of the hurricane which swept the States of Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas. Special A vote of \$2,500 was approved on trains are taking doctors and nurses December 20, 1928, to meet the cost to the devastated areas and emerof a motor approach and porch to gency hospitals have been improvisthe Western Entrance of the C.S.O. ed to accommodate the injured .-Reutér's American Service.

England, together with other in-The above has been provided for cidental works to complete the scheme.

Public Works, Extraordinary, Kowloon, Buildings, Conversion of Kowloon, Port Works, Filling in Park Side for School purposes and Tidal Flats and cutting down Hill between Tai Kok Tsui and Fuk Tsun

> A sum of \$75,000 was provided in the 1928 Estimates.

The work was practically comcomplete the work before the end pleted by the end of the year, but of the year and a revote of the the contract provides for a main-

A re-vote of \$10,000 is therefore The above has been provided for requested to cover the "Retention Money" which is to be paid at the 1928 Estimates \$75,000.

> Approximate : Expenditure December 31, 1928, \$65,000. Unspent Balance \$10,000.

Medical & Sanitary Votes Medical Department:-Rent of ablution centre \$2,040.

iIt is proposed to retain No. 5, Cross-street, Wanchai, as an ablution centre for a further period of twelve months, at a rent of \$170 per No provision is made in the

Estimates and a supplementary vote covering the rent for the current year is requested. Sanitary Department:—Burial of

infected bodies \$2,000. Provision made in Estimates

Hong Kong, Miscellaneous, Victoria The number of infected bodies

increased with the incidence of \$375 has already been expended

Post Office:—Rent of Branch

The premises for new Kowloon requested to meet the cost of a City branch post office were rented Merryweather etationary motor from November 1, 1928. This vote driven rotary pressure augmentor is required to meet the rent for the pumping set, to be obtained from current year for which no provision

The above is to be partly met from savings under rent of Branch Public Works, Extraordinary: Offices, Shamshulpo and Aberdeen. Castle Peak Road

Public Works, Extraordinary:-New Kowloon, communications, widening Castle Peak-road to 60 Cheung Sha Wan \$80,000.

\$20,000 was provided by Supplementary Vote for this work in 1928, of which, owing to delay in commencement, only \$2,200 was expended.

Owing to the work proving less expensive than was expected it is anticipated that there will be a saving on the original estimate of \$6,800 and a revote of \$11,500 only

is required. No provision was made in the Supplementary Vote or in the 1929 Estimates for surfacing the road. This is estimated to cost \$18.500 and it is considered desirable to carry out the work this year. An additional supply of \$80,000 covering the revote and the cost of

Wireless Telegraphy

surfacing is requested.

Public Works, Extraordinary:-Hong Kong, Wireless Telegraphy, expenditure on buildings and plant to effect necessary improvements

A vote of \$91,440 was approved in August last to meet the cost of the scheme for improving the Colony's W/T. service.

The work was immediately put in hand and a new building together with two wireless masts has erected: adjacent to "The Eyrle,

Good progress was made by end of the year, the expenditure to December 31, 1928, being about \$70,560 and a revote of the amount unexpended, vis. \$20,880, is requested to enable the work to

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SIR L DANE'S TRIBUTE TO INDIAN STATES

Sir Harcourt Butler and Colonel Ogdivie, who are laid up with influenza, were absent from the conversazione which was given by the intellectual but social difficulties. East India Association in honour of

Sir Louis Dane, who presided, whose knowledge was the greatest alluded to the Indian States as the lasset to India.

He paid a tribute to Sir Harcourt Butler as the most fitting Chairman for the Commission.

The Hon. Sidney Peel, responding expressed the opinion that difficult as the Committee's problems were, they were not more intricate than those before the Statutory Committee, which had to face not only He paid a warm tribute to the members of the Indian States Com- valuable assistance rendered by all the Officials, especially Lord Irwin,